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APPLICATIONS OF THE  
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1906-1909

Roll 288

Application Nos. 36801-36950

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## INTRODUCTION

On the 348 rolls of this microfilm publication are reproduced the applications submitted for shares of the money that was appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Congress on June 30, 1906. The Eastern Cherokee applications, August 29, 1906-May 26, 1909, are part of the Guion Miller Enrollment Records that are among the records of the U.S. Court of Claims. This publication also includes a general index to Eastern Cherokee applications (two vols.).

## History

Before the U.S. Court of Claims was established in 1855 there was no procedure by which claims arising against the U.S. Government could be enforced by suit. Consideration of claims was provided for when the Treasury Department was established in 1789; later acts of the Congress authorized the Department to settle all claims by or against the Government. If a claim was rejected by the Treasury Department, the claimant's only course of action was to appeal directly to the Congress. Petitions to that body for relief had become so numerous by the middle of the 19th century that the Congress was beginning to find it impossible to make the proper and necessary investigations for actions on the claims.

The U.S. Court of Claims was established by an act of February 24, 1855, to hear claims against the United States including those referred to the court by the Congress, based on any law of the Congress, any regulation of an executive department, or any contract with the Government, whether explicit or implied. Under this act the court served only as a factfinding agency, and its conclusions were submitted to the Congress for approval and for the granting of awards. In 1863 the Congress enlarged the court's jurisdiction and gave it authority to render judgments against the Government, with the right of appeal to the Supreme Court. An act of 1925 abolished appeals from the Court of Claims to the Supreme Court and substituted writs of certiorari.

An act approved July 1, 1902 (32 Stat. 726), gave the Court of Claims jurisdiction over any claim arising under treaty stipulations that the Cherokee Tribe, or any band thereof, might have against the United States and over any claims that the United States might have against any Cherokee Tribe or band. Suit for such a claim was to be instituted within 2 years after the act was approved. As a result, three suits were brought before the court concerning grievances arising out of the treaties:



(1) *The Cherokee Nation v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23199; (2) *The Eastern and Emigrant Cherokees v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23212; and (3) *The Eastern Cherokees v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23214.

On May 18, 1905, the court decided in favor of the Eastern Cherokees and instructed the Secretary of the Interior to identify the persons entitled to participate in the distribution of funds for payment of the claims. On June 30, 1906, the Congress appropriated more than \$1 million for this purpose. The task of compiling a roll of eligible persons was begun by Guion Miller, special agent of the Interior Department. In a decree of April 29, 1907, the court (1) vacated that part of its earlier decision that had given the Secretary of the Interior responsibility for determining the eligibility of claimants and (2) appointed Miller as a special commissioner of the Court of Claims.

The same decree also provided that the fund was to be distributed to all Eastern and Western Cherokee Indians who were alive on May 28, 1906, who could establish the fact that at the time of the treaties they were members of the Eastern Cherokee Tribe or were descendants of such persons, and that they had not been affiliated with any tribe of Indians other than the Eastern Cherokee or the Cherokee Nation. The decree further provided that claimants should already have applications on file with the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, or should file such applications with the special commissioner of the Court of Claims on or before August 31, 1907. Additionally, applications for minors and persons of unsound mind were to be filed by their parents or persons having their care and custody, and applications for persons who had died after May 28, 1906, were to be filed by their children or legal representatives.

In his report of May 28, 1909, Miller stated that 45,847 separate applications had been filed, representing a total of about 90,000 individual claimants, 30,254 of whom were enrolled as entitled to share in the fund--3,203 residing east and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi River. On June 10, 1909, the court confirmed and approved the roll, submitted by Miller in his report, of Eastern Cherokees who were entitled to a share of the fund except "so much as shall be expected (excepted) to on or before August 30, 1909." After the exceptions had been filed and investigated, Miller submitted a supplemental report and roll to the court on January 5, 1910. In this report he stated that about 11,750 exceptions had been made, that the names of 610 persons (238 east and 372 west of the Mississippi) had been added to the roll, and that the names of 44 persons (5 east and 39 west of the Mississippi) had been stricken from the roll because clerical errors in enrollment had been discovered. Thus the final figure on the total number of persons entitled to share in the fund was 30,820, of which 3,436 persons



resided east and 27,384 resided west of the Mississippi River. On March 15, 1910, the court finally decreed that the rolls be approved and that, after certain deductions for expenditures, payments were to be made equally among the Eastern Cherokees who were enrolled. The court also authorized the Secretary of the Treasury to issue a warrant in favor of each person.

In certifying the eligibility of the Cherokees, Miller used earlier census lists and rolls that had been made of the Cherokees by Hester, Chapman, Drennen, and others between 1835 and 1884. Copies of some of these rolls and the indexes to them are filed with the Miller records (filmed as M685). Other enrollment records used by Miller are among the classified subject files of the Bureau and are designated as "33931-11-053 Cherokee Nation."

#### Records

The applications contain sworn evidences of identity and were filed with the Interior Department's Office of Indian Affairs until April 29, 1907 (the last application was No. 22268), after which the applications were filed directly with the court. The application required each claimant to state fully his or her English and Indian names, residence, age, place of birth, name of husband or wife, name of tribe, and names of children. It further required the English and Indian names of the claimant's parents and grandparents, place of their birth, place of their residence in 1851 if they were living at that time, dates of their death, and a statement as to whether any of them had ever before been enrolled as Indians for annuities or other benefits and, if so, with what tribe. Each claimant was also to furnish the names of all brothers and sisters, with their ages and residences, and the names and residences of all uncles and aunts. Applications were required to be made under oath and to be supported by affidavits of two witnesses who were well acquainted with the applicant. With each application is a card showing final action taken and the reasons therefore. Filed with many of the applications are inquiries concerning the status of the cases, requests for further evidence, protests about unfavorable actions, form letters that had been sent by the special commissioner to the applicants as notices of rejection of their applications and returned by the Post Office Department as unclaimed, affidavits and statements of witnesses, powers of attorney, and last wills and testaments. The applications are arranged by the number assigned at the time the application was received. There are some gaps in the application numbers; these are explained on insert sheets at the appropriate places on the film. The index is arranged alphabetically by name (either English or Indian) of claimant.

Many of the files contain a cross-reference card to other applications. This cross-reference card often refers to the EX file, the report on exceptions filed by Miller on January 5, 1910.



## Related Records

The records reproduced in this microfilm publication are part of the records in the custody of the National Archives and Records Service (NARS) designated as Records of the U.S. Court of Claims, Record Group (RG) 123. Among related records in this record group are additional records relating to Miller's enrollment of the Eastern Cherokees. These include receipts for Treasury warrants and miscellaneous correspondence, 1906-11. The original of these records is in RG 123; a copy is in RG 75.

Some related records in Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, RG 75, have been reproduced as NARS Microfilm Publication T496, *Census Roll, 1835, of the Cherokee Indians East of the Mississippi and Index to the Roll*. Also in RG 75 are the classified subject files of the Bureau.

*Records Relating to Enrollment of Eastern Cherokees by Guion Miller, 1908-10*, M685, contains the general index to Eastern Cherokee applications, 2 volumes; the report submitted by Guion Miller, May 28, 1909, 10 volumes; the roll of Eastern Cherokees, May 28, 1909; the report on exceptions filed, January 5, 1910; the supplemental roll of Eastern Cherokees, January 5, 1910; transcripts of testimony, February, 1908-March 1909, 10 volumes; various indexes and rolls of Eastern Cherokee Indians, 1851, 1854, and 1884; and miscellaneous notes and drafts.

Additional records relating to the enrollment of Eastern Cherokee Indians are in Records of the Office of the Secretary of the Interior, Record Group 48.

These records were prepared for filming by Jestine Turner and William D. Grover, who also prepared these introductory remarks.



No. 36801

Action: Reject

Name Murray Wilson and 1 children.

Residence: Joplin, Mo.

Reasons:

Brother of 36799.

No. 36801

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

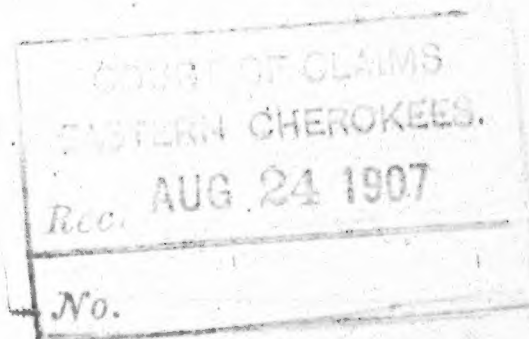
APPLICATION

OF

*Murray Wilson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36801



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Murray Wilson

Indian name: Murry Wilson

2. Residence and post office: Jasper

3. County: Jasper

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 29 Born June 10 1878

6. Where were you born? Centerville Mo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lala Wilson age 23

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Daniel May Wilson</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Mar 4 1903</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Ambrase Wilson

Indian name: Ambrase Wilson

Mother—English name: Liza Emma Wilson

Indian name: X

Maiden name: Liza Emma Rajman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation

Mother: Cherokee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee Nation

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 26 1890

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James Ambrose Wilson	July 14 1873	
	Japhin mo		
(2)	Ammie McTilda Wilson	April 20 1875	
	Becky Springs Kans		
(3)	John Edward Wilson	Sept 28 1886	
	Japhin mo		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Thomas Wilson	Augusta Rayman
Thomas Wilson	+
Mary Wilson	Mary Jane Rayman
+	+

18. Where were they born? North Carolina, France, Canada

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John Wilson	Titus Rayman
(2)	Ambrose Wilson	Sutton Rayman
(3)		Lizia Rayman
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father amrose  
wilson Grand father Thomas  
wilson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Murray Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August, 1907.

Byron H. Leroy

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

D. C. Turnbull

and

J. M. Carlton

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Murray Wilson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 1 years and 5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. C. Turnbull

J. M. Carlton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 26

1911.

Byron H. Leroy

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36812

Action: Reject

Name Anna Metilda Stordard and 4 children.

Residence Baxter Spring, Kans.

Reasons:

Sister of 36799.

36802



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No. 51802

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Annie Melinda Woodford*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36802

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Annie Metilda Woodard

Indian name: Annie Metilda Wilson

2. Residence and post office: Baxter Springs, Kans R.F. #2

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 32 Born April 20 1873

6. Where were you born? McDonald Co Mo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Charles Woodard age 38

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Rilla Woodard</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Feb 2 1893</u>
(2)	<u>Lauramelvina Woodard</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>July 24 1900</u>
(3)	<u>Emma Woodard</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Aug 3 1902</u>
(4)	<u>Waratha Ellen Woodard</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>June 14 1905</u>
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Ambrase Wilson

Indian name: Ambrase Wilson

Mother—English name: Liza Emma Wilson

Indian name: +

Maiden name: Liza Emma Rayman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation

Mother: Vermont



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Cherokee Nation

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

May 25 1890

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James Ambrose Wilson	July 14	1873
	Joseph	no	
(2)	William Wilson	June 10	1878
	Joseph	no	
(3)	John Edward Wilson	Sept 28	1886
	Joseph	no	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James Wilson	Augusta Rayman
James Wilson	
Mary Wilson	Mary Jane Rayman

18. Where were they born? North Carolina - France + Canada

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Cherokee Nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Joe Wilson	Wesley Rayman
(2)	Ambrose Wilson	Arthur Rayman
(3)		Lizzie Rayman
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: MC

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father emprise  
Wilson - Grand father  
Thomas Wilson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Anna Matilda Woodard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Herron  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 24, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. F. Pring  
and Anna Costello, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Anna Matilda Woodard  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and  
5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. F. Pring  
Anna Costello

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911. Byron H. Herron  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36803.

Action: no action

Name.....

Reasons:

### Reasons:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons: \_\_\_\_\_

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No. 30803

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

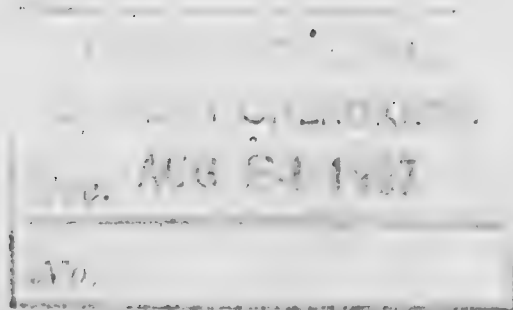
APPLICATION

OF

*Elizabeth Hodges*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Elizabeth - Hodges  
English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: Hooker
2. Residence and post office: Ouray
3. County: Ouray
4. State: Colorado
5. How old are you? 42 years Born December 26 - 1865
6. Where were you born? Patrick Co Virginia
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: Andrew R Hodges 39 years old
9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~she~~ she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN.
(1)	<u>i have no children</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Samuel H  
Indian name: Hooker

Mother—English name: Catherine Francis  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Newman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Patrick Co Virginia

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Patrick Co Virginia

Mother: Patricia Co Virginia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Jane	1863	—
	Emily Mehack	1867	—
(2)	Jesse Melvin	1869	—
(3)	Florence Elander	1879	—
	Francis Roemer	1879	—
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Jesse Hoaker	James Newman
Eliza	Sally Clippin
Elizabeth Arington	

18. Where were they born? i Don't no

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Patrick Co Virginia

yes

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: its in Pasible

(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: i never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: impossibly for me  
To Do So

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Elizabeth Hodges

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

Herbert R. Billing  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 28<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Harry C. Stough

and

Thomas S. Jennings

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Elizabeth Hodges

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and

14 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Harry C. Stough

Thomas S. Jennings

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907

My commission expires

May 28, 1908. Herbert R. Billing  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36804

Action: Rejected

Name William T. Bagby and no children. Residence: Buford, Ga.

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. It does not appear that they were living within the Cherokee Domain in 1835-6 + 1846, as recognized members of the tribe. Successor to whom applicant claims, was recognized as a private person. And was not a member of the tribe when the Cherokee were taken west.

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No.

36804

Name

William Thomas Rife

With No.

Remarks

The following  
applications have  
been detached  
from (36804) for  
Field Examination  
in Gummell Co.  
Ga.

Wrs. 42434  
42435, 40655  
40452, 36809,  
40455, 36804

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P. A. Rife  
testimony in #39800

Field  
Summitt Co., Ga.  
No. 36804  
Name William Thomas  
Bagby  
With No. ....

Remarks:

No. 40655, 41693,  
41694, 40861, 41695,  
40858, 40856-7, 40854-5,  
-3, -2, 40859-60,  
41692, 36805-6-7-8-9,  
41696,  
grouped Summitt.

Not on rolls.



No. 36804

Name William Thomas

With No. Bagley

Remarks: The following  
applications have  
been detached &  
for Field Examination  
in Summit Co.  
Va.  
(Grasped with  
36804)

36804, 40655, 40855,  
40852, 40859, 36809,  
36808.

No. 36801

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

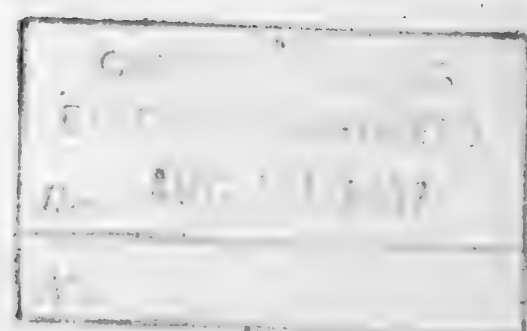
APPLICATION

OF

*William Thomas Bagby*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the orders of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 1, 1906.

6-624



36801



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William D. Bagby

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Buford

3. County: Gwinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 21 Born 12-16-1886

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett co Ga

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: no

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Berry D. Bagby

Indian name: don't know

Mother—English name: Margaret

Indian name: no

Maiden name: Margaret Pugh

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gwinnett county Ga

Mother: do do do

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William J. Bagby

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Buford

3. County: Gwinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 21 Born 12-16-1886

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett co Ga

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: no

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
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(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Berry G. Bagby

Indian name: don't know

Mother—English name: Margaret

Indian name: no

Maiden name: Margaret Pugh

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gwinnett county Ga

Mother: no



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gwinnett Co Ga

Mother: 111 11 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 1111

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: was not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Wagon Bayby	12-25-1889	Buford Ga
(2)	Calypson 1111	12-24 1899	111111
(3)	Darley Bell 111	5-30 1898	1111
(4)	Berry Hunter 111	11-2 1890	111
(5)	Ellie Bayby	2-8 1893	1111 111
(6)	Musley 111	1-14 1896	
	Cary Adel	4-3 1897	111

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Benjamin M Bayby  
Sallie M 111  
or Fincher

18. Where were they born? Father in SC mother in Haulco Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gwinnett Co 11

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Waney Seals	Buford Ga
(2)	Marion Strickland	11 1 1
(3)	Eliaz J Bayby	11 11 11
(4)	Edmon J Bayby	11 11 11
(5)	Millian J Bayby	Fleming Branch Ga
(6)	Marion Barker	Dean
	Manerva L Pirple	Buford Ga
	Lejeune J Beane	111 111

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: William T Bagby son  
of Perry L Bagby he son Sallie Fincher she  
daughter of Elias Fincher son slick head mard

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

William Bagby a Cherokee through  
the decent of the Fincher and mard of  
W. L. and this name are on the Cherokee  
Rolls

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Wm T Bagby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

J. G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sep

1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Miner C Shaddum

and

J. M. Sewell

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

William T Bagby

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

8

years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in such claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Miner C Shaddum

J. M. Sewell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21

day of

Aug

, 1907.

My commission expires

Sep

1910.

J. G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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Appl. #6894

Nov. 8, 1908.

William C. Smith,  
Bufford, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1840-45, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1840-45?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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No. 36805 Action: Rejected  
Name Clynton Ragby and no children. Residence: Roxford, Va.

Reasons:

Brother of 36804, claims the same source

36805

No. 36805-9.

Name

With No.

36804

Remarks:

S. J. Beam  
Surrey County  
Solihull Road  
Manura Park  
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No. 30805

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Wynnton Bagby*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

36805



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
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(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Grimmett Co Ga

Mother: 11111 111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Lining

Mother: 11111

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: muskrat

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Woon Bagby	1-15-1881	
(2)	Lilly Bell	5-30-1889	
(3)	Barry Hunter Bagby	11-8-1890	
(4)	Ellie Bagby	2-8-1893	
(5)	Mable Bagby	1-14-1896	
(6)	Carry Odell Bagby	6-8-1897	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Benjamin W Bagby  
Sallie W  
or Sallie Fincher

18. Where were they born? father in SC mother in Haul Co Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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(1) Traney scales 12-30-1841 Burford Ga  
(2) Maniwa Strickland 2-13-1844 111  
(3) Ellis H Bagby 7-30-1846  
(4) Edmon T Bagby 8-9-1848  
(5) William T Bagby 10-14-1849 Flouring branch  
(6) Margan Barker 4-8-1852 dear Ga  
Maniwa S Pickle 1-13-1858 Burford Ga  
Dupeane S Beane 9-18-1860 111 11

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Clinton Bagby son of Perry L. Bagby son of Sallie M. Fincher she was daughter of Elias Fincher, he son of  
REMARKS. Elizabeth Ward

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Clinton Bagby a Cherokee through the Finchers and Wards of W. L. and they are on the Cherokee Rolls

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Clinton L. Bagby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept

1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Miner L. Shadburner  
and J. M. Sewell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Clinton Bagby  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 12 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Miner L. Shadburner  
J. M. Sewell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept

1910.

G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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No. 6586

Action: *Accepted*

Name *Manerva C. Finkle* and *1* children. Residence: *Burford, Va.*

Reasons:

*part of 6584. Claims the same source*

36806

No. 131800

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

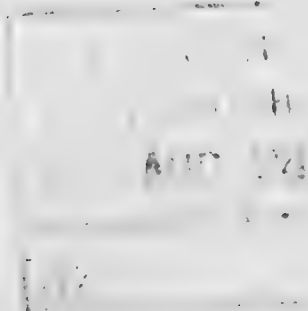
APPLICATION

OF

Manuella Pirkle  
2 children

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36806

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Estella Pirkle	22	1-9-1884
(2)	no answer		
(3)	William L Pirkle	14	5-12-1893
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nancy scales ne Bagby	2-13 1841	Buford Ga
(2)	Morinn A. Trickland ne Bagby	2-13-1844	111 11
(3)	Elias F. Bagby	7-30-1846	Dead
	Edmon W. Bagby	8-9-1848	181
(4)	William J. Bagby	10-14 1849	Floury branch
	Mary Ann Barker	4-8 1852	Dead Ga
(5)	nee Bagby		
	<del>Stamara b</del>		
(6)	Lupen S. Beam nea Bagby	9-18 1860	Dead

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Edmon Bagby	Elias Fincher
Nancy 1111	Mary mess

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jamr Fincher	Dead
(2)	Jae 1111	1111
(3)	Berry 1111	1111
(4)	Syda 1111	111
(5)	O Jeanas 1111	111
(6)	Aberry 1111	111

Caroline Jeanets in Ga

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Manerva C. Pirkle

Daughter Benjamin Bagley done of Elias Fricker  
whose was a Cherokee through ward  
of W. C.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

the fingers and wards of  
W. C. was Cherokee and this  
names are on some of the rolls

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Manerva C. Pirkle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22nd

day of

Aug

1907.

G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept.

1900.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Mr Manerva C. Pirkle A. T. Green

and

M. Sewell

who, being duly sworn on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mr Manerva C. Pirkle

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and

125 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. T. Green

M. Sewell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22nd

day of

Aug

1907.

My commission expires

Sept.

1900.

G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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No. 36807 Action: Rejected  
Name Esther Luddath and 2 children. Residence: Burford, Ala.

Reasons:

cousin of 36804, claims the same surname.

36807



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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Estelle Suddat*  
*2 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

36807

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Garben Suddeth	a	10-9-1901
(2)	Lucy Suddeth		3-3-1904
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gwinnett co Ga

Mother: 1111 111 111

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 11111

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: was not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Luther Pirkle	14-5-12	1894 Sanford Ga
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Willis Pirkle	<del>Benny L. Bagby</del>
Jane Pirkle	Perfuman M. Bagby
	Sallie M. Bagby

18. Where were they born? of father in H. L. Mather in Harlow Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gwinnett co 11

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Mary Scales	Sanford Ga
(2)	Marion Strickland	111 11
(3)	Lias J. Bagby	dead
(4)	Edman J. Bagby	dead
(5)	William J. Bagby	Filomeny Branch Ga
(6)	Mary Ann Barker	dead
	Becky C. Bagby	living Sanford Ga
	Lucian J. Beam	dead



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None yet

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Estelle Suddeth  
daughter of Manana & Bagby she  
acherapee through the Finchers and  
wards of W. L.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

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are on same of the cherapee  
Rolls of W. L.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Estelle Suddeth

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Apr., 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

A. S. Green

and

M. Sewell

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Ms Estelle Suddeth

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. S. Green

M. N. Sewell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Apr., 1910.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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No. 26808 Action: Accepted  
Name Terry C. Bagby and 5 children. Residence: Buford, Ga.

Reasons:

Wife of #6804, claims thru same source  
;

36808

No. 08808

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Berry Clayton Bagby*  
*and 5 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: Berry L Bagby

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Barford

3. County: Gwinnett

4. State: Ga.

5. How old are you? 53 Born 3-21-1854

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Marjith 56 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Wronan Bagby	26	1-15-1881
(2)	L Bryant III	24	12 24 1883
(3)	William J III	22	11-16-1885
(4)	Bengman III	Dead	5-5-1887
(5)	Barley Bell III	18	5-30-1889
(6)	Berry H III	16	11-8-1890
(7)	Allie Bagby III	14	2-8-1898
(8)	Wiley Bagby III	11	1-14-1896
(9)	Carry Odell III	10	6-3-1897

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Benjamin M. Bagby

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Sallie M. Bagby

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Sallie M. Fincher

12. Where were they born?

Father: in S. C.

Mother: in Hart County Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Gwinnett County Ga

Mother:

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14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Died 1864

Mother:

1111 1889

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

not known

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Nancy. scales</u> <u>nee Bagby</u>	<u>12-30-1841</u>	<u>Buford Ga</u>
(2)	<u>Marion L Strickland</u> <u>nee Bagby</u>	<u>2-13-1844</u>	<u>1111</u>
(3)	<u>Johnston Taler Bagby</u> <u>William T Bagby</u>	<u>7-30-1846</u> <u>8-9-1848</u>	<u>Dead</u> <u>1111</u>
(4)	<u>Mary Ann Harper</u> <u>nee Bagby</u>	<u>10-14-1849</u>	<u>Flaming branch Ga</u> <u>Dead</u>
(5)	<u>Manerpa L. Pirkle</u> <u>nee Bagby</u>	<u>11-8-1852</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(6)	<u>Eugene S. Beams</u>	<u>1-3-1858</u>	<u>Buford Ga</u> <u>1111</u>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Johnston Bagby  
Nancy

Ellis Fincher  
Mary Webb

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John Fincher</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Jae</u>	<u>111111</u>
(3)	<u>Berry</u>	<u>111111</u>
(4)	<u>Lyda</u>	<u>1111</u>
(5)	<u>Oleanna</u>	<u>1111</u>
(6)	<u>Henry</u>	<u>1111</u>

Caroline Jintals in Ga



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Berry Clayton Bagby  
son of Benjamin Bagby son of Martin Finch  
daughter and his mother was named suboway  
acherakee Indian names on some rolls

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Berry C. Bagby acherakee through  
Decent of the wards and Finches  
of N. C. names on the rolls of 1835  
of 1844

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Berry C. Bagby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

J. G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept. 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Andrew J. Pirkle

and

Sam. M. Sewell

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Berry C. Bagby

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Andrew J. Pirkle

Sam. M. Sewell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Sept. 1910.

J. G. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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No. 96809  
Name Eugenia J. Lamm and 5 children. Residence: Buford, Ga. Action: Rejected

Reasons:

Ident. 96804, claims this same source  
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No. 30400

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Deane S. Beam*  
*5 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Eugene J. Beam  
Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Sumford

3. County: Guinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 45 Born 1860

6. Where were you born? Guinnett co. Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James H Beam age 41

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Sallie J Beam</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>2-4-1891</u>
(2)	<u>Bennie</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>4-12-1893</u>
(3)	<u>Ray, E.</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>5-28-1895</u>
(4)	<u>James B.</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>6-3-1898</u>
(5)	<u>Clara B.</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>11-30-1901</u>
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Benjamin M. Bagby

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Sallie M Bagby

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Sallie Fincher

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Ga

Mother: in Haul county Ga



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gannett Leavitt Ga

Mother: 1111 111 17

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1864

Mother: 1111 1889

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not known

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nancy scales	12-30 1841	13 Bedford Ga
(2)	Mariam Strickland	2-19-1844	1111 111
(3)	Elias F Bagby	7-30 1846	dead
5	Edmon J 1111	8-7 1848	1111
(6)	William Bagby	10-14 1849	plum branch Ga
7	Mariam Barker	4-8 1852	dead
(8)	Manana C Pikel	1-3 1858	13 Bedford Ga
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Edmon Bagby	Elias Fincher
Nancy 1111	Mary Webb

18. Where were they born?

in N. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jahn Fincher	Dead
(2)	Jae 1111	1111
(3)	erry 111	1111
(4)	Syda 1111	1111
(5)	ofenas 1111	1111
(6)	Caroline Gentils	in Ga

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: none now

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Eugenie's beam daughter  
of Benjamin Bagby son of Manana Fincher  
her mother was named who was a cherakee

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Eugenie's beam a cherakee through the  
descent of the Finchers and mainly  
of W. L. and this name is on the  
cherakee Roll

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Eugenia S. Beam

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept.

1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Miner C. Shadburn

and

J. M. Sewell

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Eugenie S. Beam

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Miner C. Shadburn

J. M. Sewell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Sept.

1910.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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No. 36870

Action: *Report*

Name *William Kent* and *2* children. Residence: *Range, Ala.*

Reasons:

#36870  
Applicant put forth to show my genuine connection with the Eastern Cherokee. No ancestor ever enrolled. No ancestor was a party to the location of 125-36-46.

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No. 36810

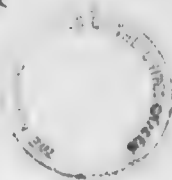
Name William Kent

With No.

Remarks:

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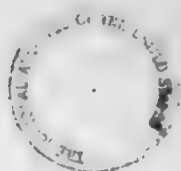


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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**



APPLICATION

OF

*William Kent*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

*William Kent*

2. Residence and post office:

*Orange*

3. County:

*Leonard*

4. State:

*Alabama*

5. How old are you?

*77*

Born

*April 1<sup>st</sup> 1830*

6. Where were you born?

*Dozdon Fla*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Mary Kent abt 67 years old*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Henry P Kent</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>May 29<sup>th</sup> 1878</i>
(2)	<i>Luzinia Kent</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>Nov 10<sup>th</sup> 1869</i>
(3)	<i>Allie Kent</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>Apr 1872</i>
(4)	<i>Tom Kent</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>May 1870</i>
(5)	<i>Mary E Kent</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>Aug 10<sup>th</sup> 1868</i>
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

*James Kent*

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

*Jessie Kent*

Maiden name:

*Jessie Hancock*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Leonard Co Ala*

Mother:

*Leonard Co Ala*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Convent to the Sea

Mother: Convent to the Sea

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in 1830

Mother: Died abt 1833

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mary Kent</u>	<u>1832 -</u>	<u>1868 -</u>
(2)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(3)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(4)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(5)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(6)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

have no record  
of either

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Hamock  
Elizabeth Hamock

18. Where were they born? in Ala

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Living in Convent C ab

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Bob Hamock</u>	<u>Sea</u>
(2)	<u>George Hamock</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Jack Hamock</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Martha Hamock</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Lizzie Hamock</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Nancy Hamock</u>	<u>"</u>
(7)	<u>Susan Hamock</u>	<u>"</u>
(8)	<u>Tom Hamock</u>	<u>"</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: No record therefore  
I cannot give names back to 1835-

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim to be one half Indian on my  
~~mother's~~ Father's side he was full  
Blood Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William Kent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug 1907.

W. E. Ellis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 24

1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. J. Watson

and

J. T. Whitcomb

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

William Kent

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and

years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents

claim to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. J. Watson  
J. T. Whitcomb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 24

1908.

W. E. Ellis

Notary Public.

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Mr Guin Miller Commissioner

Washington D.C.

Dear sir I am getting very old and feeble  
would like to know how long it will be  
before we can get our bounty from the  
government and how much you think  
it will be before we will get it

Enclosed you will find postage  
for my reply I would not have re-  
sented but I am hard run up to  
hear from you at once

Yours truly

Wm. Kent - 36810

Henry P Kent - 36811

William Nelson 36812

Thomas Kent - 36813

Alice Kent - 36814

April 1891.

May 7, 1891.

William Turner,  
Pawnee, Ark.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Trail, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Try was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1881, and where was he or she residing in 1881-82, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1881-82?

If you were a slave, please state whether a slave of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Recd. DEC 31 1908  
No. 36810

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Mr Garrison Miller  
Special Commissioner

Dear Sir I have been thinking  
I would realize something from the  
pension of the Cherokee Indians  
and know that I am now and  
a Grant - 80 years old Will you  
please let me know if I will  
and if there is any thing that is  
in the way of it I should  
not let you know but I know  
what I will do if I have  
to pay more money and you would  
could I send him to the  
in care of J. M. Hammett Co. Co.

Range Co Alabama  
Wm Hunt No 56.810

No. 36811 Action: Report  
Name Henry P. Kent and 3 children. Residence: Runge, Ala.  
Reasons:

Son of William Kent (36810) and claimer  
through "as line"

No. 60811

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Wing J. Hunt*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Henry P Kent

2. Residence and post office: Range

3. County: Concord

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 29 Born May 29<sup>th</sup> 1878

6. Where were you born? in Concord Co Ala

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mattie A Kent age 39<sup>+</sup>

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>William Kent</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Apr 16<sup>th</sup> 1903</u>
(2)	<u>Mary J Kent</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Jan 14 1904</u>
(3)	<u>Ella Kent</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Jan 28 1906</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: William Kent

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Mary Kent

Maiden name: Mary Merritt

12. Where were they born?

Father: Bagdad Fla

Mother: Born in Mississippi

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Leoneauh Co al

Mother: Leoneauh Co al

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Luzina Kent</u> <u>Range al</u>	<u>Feb 11<sup>th</sup> 1869</u>	
(2)	<u>Allice Kent</u> <u>Range al</u>	<u>April 1872</u>	
(3)	<u>Tom Kent</u> <u>Range al</u>	<u>May 1870</u>	
(4)	<u>Mary E Kent</u> <u>Hadly al</u>	<u>Aug 10<sup>th</sup> 1868</u>	
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>James Kent</u>	<u>Elizabeth Hammett</u>
<u>Jessie Kent</u>	<u>John Hammett</u>
	<u>Benjamin Hammett</u>
	<u>Aranda Hammett</u>

18. Where were they born? in al

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Leoneauh Co al

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>William Kent</u>	
(2)	<u>Mary Kent</u>	
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no more

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: no records

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim the Cherokee Indian Blood  
on Father side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Henry C. Hunt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug 1907.

W. H. Ellis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 24<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. J. Watson

and J. J. Whitehead, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 27 years and

18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents

claim to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. J. Watson  
J. J. Whitehead

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 24<sup>th</sup>, 1908. W. H. Ellis

Notary Public.

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No. 36812

Action: Report

Name Luzenia Nelson and 1 children. Residence: Range, Ala.

Reasons:

Daughter of William Kent (36810) and Cairns  
through same line.

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No. 36812

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Luzinia Peterson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	William L. Nelson	12	Ind 12 = 1894
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Comanch Co Ala

Mother: Comanch Co "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Henry Kent -</u> <u>Range Ala</u>	<u>May 29<sup>th</sup> 1878</u>	
(2)	<u>Alice Kent -</u> <u>Range Ala</u>	<u>April 1872</u>	
(3)	<u>Tom Kent -</u> <u>Range Ala</u>	<u>May 1870</u>	
(4)	<u>Mary E Kent -</u> <u>Hadley Ala</u>	<u>Aug 10<sup>th</sup> 1868</u>	
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>James Kent</u>	<u>Benjamin Merrett</u>
<u>Jennie Kent</u>	<u>Aranda Merrett</u>

18. Where were they born? in Ala

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Comanch Co Ala

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>William Kent</u>	
(2)	<u>Mary Kent</u>	
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: No record

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim the Cherokee Indian Blood  
on Father's side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Lugenia Nelson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

R. H. Ellis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 24<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. S. Watson

and

J. F. Whitehead

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Lugenia Nelson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 38 years and 18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents

claim to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. S. Watson  
J. F. Whitehead

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 24, 1908. R. H. Ellis

Notary Public.

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to Writer  
Mr. Alarmed

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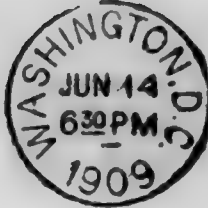
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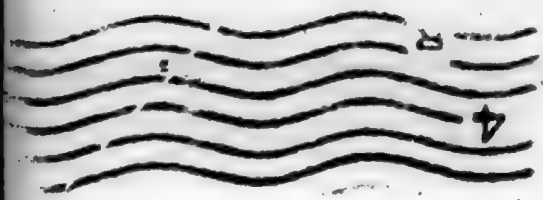
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Range,

Ala.

36812

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
801 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Luzenia Nelson  
Range, Ala*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36812, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



Name Tom Kent No. 36813 Action: Report  
and 0 children. Residence: King, Ala

Reasons:

Son of William Kent (36811) on a claim  
through same line.

36813

No. 30843

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

Tom Kent

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

36813

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Conneaut Co. Ala

Mother: Conneaut Co. "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Shir. Lundy

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Luzenia Nelson</u> <u>Range Ala</u>	<u>Nov 10 - 1869</u>	
(2)	<u>Allie Kent</u> <u>Range Ala</u>	<u>Apr 1872</u>	
(3)	<u>Mary E Kent</u> <u>Hadley Ala</u>	<u>Aug 10 - 1868</u>	
(4)	<u>Henry P Kent</u>	<u>May 29 - 1878</u>	
(5)			
(6)			



17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

James Kent  
Jennie Kent

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Benjamin Merritt  
Aranda Merritt

18. Where were they born? in Ala

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Conneaut Co. Ala

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>William Kent</u>	
(2)	<u>Mary Kent</u>	
(3)		
(4)		
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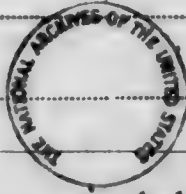
21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: No record

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim the Cherokee Indian Blood  
on Father side



I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Tom Hunt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

B. H. Ellis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 24<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. J. Watson

and

J. Y. Whitcomb

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Tom Hunt

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 37 years and

12 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents

claim to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. J. Watson  
J. Y. Whitcomb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

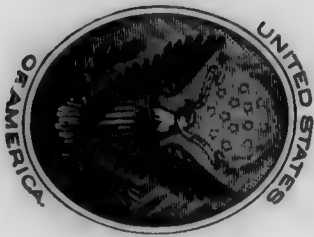
My commission expires

Nov 24<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

B. H. Ellis

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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EASTERN CHEROKEE  
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No. 36813

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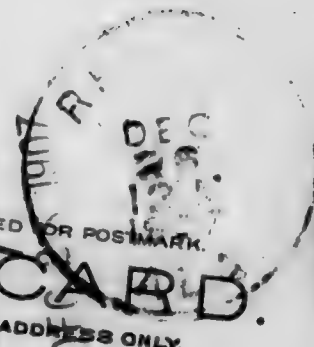


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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. DEC 23 1900  
No. 368

*Re L. Card*



*Special*

*Wm. H. Whipple*

No. 36814

Action: Reprint

Name Ulice Kent and 4 children. Residence: Range, Ala.

Reasons:

Daughter of William Kent (36810) and claims  
through same line.

36814



No. 30811

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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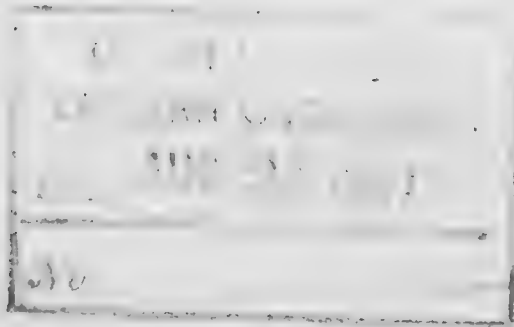
APPLICATION

OF

*Alice Kent*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



4189E

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Alice Kent

2. Residence and post office: Orange

3. County: Leonard

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 35

Born April 1872

6. Where were you born? Leonard Ala

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: no husband

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Benjamin Kent</u>	<u>16</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Elmer Kent</u>	<u>12</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Dave Kent</u>	<u>9</u>	_____
(4)	<u>Daniel Kent</u>	<u>5</u>	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: William Kent

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Mary Kent

Maiden name: Mary Merrett

12. Where were they born?

Father: Bagdad Fla

Mother: Born in Mississippi

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cornwall Co Ala

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No more

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Luzenia Nelson</u> <u>Range Ala</u>	<u>Feb 10<sup>th</sup> 1868</u>	
(2)	<u>Tom Kent</u> <u>Range Ala</u>	<u>Nov 1870</u>	
(3)	<u>Mary E Kent</u> <u>Hadley Ala</u>	<u>Aug 10 1868</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>James Kent</u>	<u>Benjamin Merrett</u>
<u>Jamies Kent</u>	<u>Aranda Merrett</u>

18. Where were they born? i Ala

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cornwall Co Ala

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>William Kent</u>	<u>Ala</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Kent</u>	
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No answer

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: No record

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim the Cherokee Indian Blood  
on Father Side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Allie + Kent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>d</sup> day of Aug 1907.

B. H. Ellis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 24, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. S. Watson  
and J. T. Whitaker, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Allie Kent  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known for 35 years and  
18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents  
claim to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in him claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. S. Watson  
J. T. Whitaker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>d</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 24, 1908. B. H. Ellis  
Notary Public.

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No. 26815

Action: Reject

Name: Rebecca Jane Linnall and X children. Residence: Oklahoma City, Okla.

Reasons:

Part of \$35200.

36815

No. 36815  
Name *Pepper*  
With No. 35200

Remarks:



*Amv*

No. *38398*

**Eastern Cherokees**

**APPLICATION  
OF**

*Rebecca Jane Warrick*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

6-824



*W H Roberson  
Atty*

*5189E*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Rebecca Jane Marnall

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Capitol Hill Oklahoma Territory

3. Town and post office:

Capitol Hill

4. County:

Oklahoma County

5. State:

Oklahoma

6. Date and place of birth:

May 9 1842 - McComb Co. Illinois

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851,

set forth each claim separately:

Through M<sup>r</sup>. Curley  
a Cherokee Indian. (My Grand Father)

8. Are you married?

yes but a widow husband being dead

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Lorenza Dow Marnall - died Feb 7-1904

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

James Smithman

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Ruthann Smithman

Indian name:

Ruth ann M<sup>r</sup>. Curley

Maiden name:

Ruth-ann M<sup>r</sup>. Curley

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Tennessee

Mother:

Tennessee

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Green County Illinois

Mother:

Green County Illinois

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Feb 7-1884

Mother:

sep 26<sup>th</sup> 1859

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*Not to my knowledge*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Elizabeth - Reed	July 12 - 1844	
(2)	Nancy Ann Dunn	1846	Dec - 1873
(3)	William Jefferson Semitheman	1848	1883
(4)	Jessie Munroe Semitheman	1850	
(5)	Sarah Cordline Bennett	1852	1890
(6)	Ruth Ann Plummer	1856	

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Jessie Semitheman	Joseph M <sup>c</sup> Curley
Jessie Semitheman	Rebecca M <sup>c</sup> Curley

17. Where were they born? *all emigrated from Tennessee*  
*But do not know where they were born*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*Green County Illinois.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Ezekiel M <sup>c</sup> Curley	died date - unknown
Indian name:	<del>Thomas</del> M <sup>c</sup> Curley	
Residence:	Thomas M <sup>c</sup> Curley	M <sup>c</sup> Curley date death - unknown
(2) English name:	Reed M <sup>c</sup> Curley	date of death - unknown
Indian name:	M <sup>c</sup> Curley	
Residence:	Delpha Brown	Ind. name M <sup>c</sup> Curley date death - unknown
(3) English name:	Phelix M <sup>c</sup> Curley	date death - unknown
Indian name:	M <sup>c</sup> Curley	
Residence:	Mose M <sup>c</sup> Curley	Ind. name M <sup>c</sup> Curley
(4) English name:	Sarah Brown	date death - unknown
Indian name:	M <sup>c</sup> Curley	
Residence:	Mary Francis	Ind. name M <sup>c</sup> Curley, Nortonville, Ill.
(5) English name:	Ruth Ann Semitheman	died 1889
Indian name:	M <sup>c</sup> Curley	
Residence:	Jessie Shroader	Indian name M <sup>c</sup> Curley date death - unknown

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*No -*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible,

of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Joseph M<sup>c</sup>Curley G. Father James Smitherman Father  
Rebecca M<sup>c</sup>Curley G. Mother Ruth Ann Smitherman Mother  
Jessie Smitherman G. Father  
Jersey Smitherman G. Mother Indian name M<sup>c</sup>Curley.

### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Rebecca + James Darnall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of May, 1907

My commission expires

June 26, 1907

Witness to mark: S. B. Boudon

W. French

le J. Durham

Notary Public.

### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. D. Hamilton and  
Ira Nichols, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Rebecca James Darnall, who makes the foregoing  
application and statements, and have known for years and years, respectively  
and know to be the identical person represents to be, and that  
the statements made by are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have  
no interest whatever in claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses  
J. D. Hamilton  
Ira Nichols

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of May, 1907

My commission expires

June 26, 1907

le J. Durham

Notary Public

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Rebecca Dagnalls grandchild  
Name Lorenzo Dagnalls  
Born June 29 1897  
Circumcised to before  
C. J. Durham N F  
Father and mother dead

STATE OF KANSAS, BUTLER COUNTY, SS.

Rebecca Jane Darnall being duly sworn on her oath says:

That on the 2nd day of March A. D. 1907, her duly authorized agent T. M. Harrison, did for her and on her behalf offer to file her application and proof as required by law for enrollment as a member of the tribe of Cherokee Indians to the Dawes Commission at their office to Honorable Tams Bixby member in charge, but said commissioner refused to receive said application and proofs for the reason that the same was not filed in time. Affiant further says that she had made due diligence and every effort possible to secure the necessary proofs and that the date stated was the earliest at which she was able to furnish proofs for enrollment as required by law.

Witness  
H. A. Hager

<sup>her</sup>  
Rebecca Jane Darnall  
<sup>mark</sup>

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of May A. D. 1907.

Lora Nomis  
Notary Public.

My Commission Expires May 4th 1908.



No. 76816

Action: Reject

Name: Julius Darnall and X children. Residence: Oklahoma City, Okla.

Reasons: Cousin of #76800.

76816

No. 36816-19.

Name .....

With No. 36815.

Remarks:

Josias Darnall,

Robert

Marion

Josee W. Smithburn

## Eastern Cherokees

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of claims of May 18, 1908, and May 28, 1906.

6-924

1917

W. R. Ransom  
Atty

2189E



Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Julious Darnall*

Indian name: *Mr. Curley*

x 2. Residence: *OK City*

r 3. Town and postoffice: *OK City Capitol Hill*

r 4. County: *Oklahoma*

5. State: *Oklahoma*

x 6. Date and place of birth: *Born in Missouri Cass Co. May 4-1869*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851,

set forth each claim separately: *Through Joseph M. Curley  
a Cherokee Indian my Great Grand Father*

8. Are you married? *no*

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Lorenzo Darnall*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Rebecca Jane Darnall*

Indian name: *Mr. Curley*

Maiden name: *Rebecca Jane Benithernman*

11. Where were they born?

+Father: *Missouri*

Mother: *Illinois*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

x Father: *Missouri*

Mother: *Illinois*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

x Father: *Feb 7 1904*

Mother: *living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Darnall	Feb 20-1867	Jan 30-1897
(2)	Ira Darnall	July 1-1878	
(3)	Robert Darnall	Oct 31-1880	
(4)	Marion Darnall	June 8-1873	
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Darnall.	James Smitheman
Sarah Darnall.	Ruth Ann Smitheman
	Indian name M <sup>c</sup> Curley

17. Where were they born? Mothers Illinois

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Mothers in Illinois.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Rebecca Jane Darnall born 1842 Res. Oklahoma
Indian name:	M <sup>c</sup> Curley
Residence:	Mary Elizabeth Reed born July 12-1844 Res. Kans
(2) English name:	Fancy Ann Darnall born 1846 died 1873
Indian name:	M <sup>c</sup> Curley
Residence:	William Jefferson Smitheman born 1848 died 1883
(3) English name:	Jerre Monroe Smitheman born 1850 Res. Idaho
Indian name:	M <sup>c</sup> Curley
Residence:	
(4) English name:	Sarah Cordine Bennett born 1852 died 1890
Indian name:	M <sup>c</sup> Curley
Residence:	
(5) English name:	Ruth Ann Pleasance born 1856
Indian name:	M <sup>c</sup> Curley
Residence:	Douglas Kans.

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Great-Grand Father Joseph M. Curley	Grand Father James Benitherman
" Mother Rebecca M. Curley	" Mother Ruth Ann Benitherman
" Father Jerre Benitherman	Indian name M. Curley
" Mother Jensey Benitherman	

### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Julius Monroe Darnall*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of May, 1907.

My commission expires  
Sept 19, 1910

*M. L. Ransom*  
Notary Public.

### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. O. V. McCaffrey* and *Saretha Yorwell*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Julius Monroe Darnall*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and 30 years, respectively and know him to be the identical person that he represents him to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. O. V. McCaffrey*  
*Saretha Yorwell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of May, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 19, 1910

*M. L. Ransom*  
Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



STATE OF KANSAS, PULASKI COUNTY, SS.

Julius Munroe Barnall being duly sworn on his oath says:  
That on the 2nd day of March A. D. 1907, his duly authorized agent  
T. M. Harrison, did for him and on his behalf offer to file his application  
and proof as required by law for enrollment as a member of the tribe of  
Cherokee Indians to the Daves Commission at their office to Honorable  
Tams Bixby member in charge, but said commissioner refused to receive  
said application and proofs for the reason that the same was not filed  
in time. Affiant further says ~~that~~ he has made due diligence and every  
effort possible to secure the necessary proofs and that the date stated  
was the earliest at which <sup>he</sup> was able to furnish proofs for enrollment  
as required by law.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of May A. D. 1907.  
*W. J. Ransom*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 19-1910

No. 36817

Action: Reject

Name: Robert Parrall and X children. Residence: Oklahoma City, Okla.

Reasons: Cousin of #25800.

36817

*Case No. 100417*  
*See #38396*  
**Eastern Cherokees**

**APPLICATION**  
OF

*Robert Warrall*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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*W H Robinson*

*L189E*

*Atty*



Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Robert Darnall

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: Oklahoma City

\* 3. Town and postoffice: Oklahoma Capital City

+ 4. County: Oklahoma

+ 5. State: Oklahoma

\* 6. Date and place of birth: Kansas Oct 31 - 1880

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851,

set forth each claim separately: Through Joseph M. Curley  
a Cherokee Indian my Great-Grandfather

\* 8. Are you married? no

\* 9. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Lorenzo Dow Darnall

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Rebecca Jane Darnall

Indian name: M. Curley

Maiden name: Rebecca Jane Smithman

11. Where were they born?

\* Father: Missouri

Mother: Illinois

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

\* Father: Missouri

Mother: Illinois

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

\* Father: Feb 7 1904 Mother: living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:.....

*no*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN. +	DIED. +
(1)	William Darnall	Feb 20 1867	Jan 32-1891
(2)	John Darnall	July 1 1878	
(3)	Marion Darnall	June 3 1883	
(4)	Julious Darnall	May 4 1869	
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
x William Darnall	James Smitherman
x Sarah Darnall	Ruth-Ann Smitherman
	Indian name M <sup>rs</sup> Curley

17. Where were they born? *Mother Illinois*

*Father Ind.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Mo*

*Mother in Illinois*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Rebecca Jane Darnall born 1842 Res. Oklahoma
Indian name:	M <sup>rs</sup> Curley
Residence:	Mary Elizabeth Reed born 1844 Res. Kansas
	Indian name M <sup>rs</sup> Curley
(2) English name:	Nancy Ann Reed born 1846 died 1873
Indian name:	M <sup>rs</sup> Curley
Residence:	
(3) English name:	William Jefferson Smitherman born 1848 died 1883
Indian name:	Indian name M <sup>rs</sup> Curley
Residence:	Jesse Monroe Smitherman born 1850 Res. Idaho
	Indian name M <sup>rs</sup> Curley
(4) English name:	Sarah Cordelise Bennett born 1852 died 1896
Indian name:	M <sup>rs</sup> Curley
Residence:	
(5) English name:	Ruth-Ann Phumet born 1856 -
Indian name:	M <sup>rs</sup> Curley
Residence:	Longlars Kans

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*no.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Great-Grand Father	Joseph M. Curley	Grand Father	James Smitherman
" "	Mother Rebecca M. Curley	Grand Mother	Rebecca Smitherman
" "	Father Jesse Smitherman	Indian name	M. Curley
" "	Mother Jesse Smitherman		

### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Robert M. Darnall*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of May, 1907

My commission expires

Sept 19, 1910

*W. T. Ransom*  
Notary Public.

### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. O. V. McCaffrey* and *Saretha Yarbelle*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Robert M. Darnall*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 10 years and 27 years, respectively and know *him* to be the identical person *who he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. O. V. McCaffrey*  
*Saretha Yarbelle*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of May, 1907

My commission expires

Sept 19, 1910

*W. T. Ransom*  
Notary Public.

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STATE OF KANSAS, PUEBLER COUNTY, SS.

Robert H. Darnall being duly sworn on his oath says:

That on the 2nd day of March A. D. 1907, his duly authorized agent T. M. Harrison, did for him and on his behalf offer to file his application and proof as required by law for enrollment as a member of the tribe of Cherokee Indians to the Daves Commission at their office to Honorable Tams Bixby, member in charge, but said commissioner refused to receive said application and proofs for the reason that the same was not filed in time. Affiant further says that he has made due diligence and every effort possible to secure the necessary proofs and that the date stated was the earliest at which he was able to furnish proofs for enrollment as required by law.

Robert H. Darnall.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of May A. D. 1907.

W. H. Ransom  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Sept 19-1910



No. 36812

Action: Reject

Name Marian Larnall and 2 children. Residence: Independence, Kans.

Reasons:

Cousin of #35200

36812

*Cousin*

No. 36618  
*See # 38399*

## Eastern Cherokees

APPLICATION  
OF

*Marian Darnall*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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*W. H. Roberson*

8189E

*Atty*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Marian Warrall*

Indian name: *Mr. Curley*

+ 2. Residence:

*Independence Kans*

+ 3. Town and postoffice:

*Independence*

+ 4. County:

*W. L. Curley*

5. State: *Kansas*

+ 6. Date and place of birth:

*June 3rd 1872*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851,

set forth each claim separately: *Through Joseph M. Curley*  
*a Cherokee Indian my Great Grand father*

8. Are you married? *yes*

+ 9. Name and age of wife or husband: *wife Edna E. Warrall born 1881*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Lorenzo W. Warrall*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Rebecca Jane Warrall*

Indian name: *Mr. Curley*

Maiden name: *Rebecca Jane Warrall Smithman*

X 11. Where were they born?

X Father: *Missouri*

Mother: *Illinois*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

X Father:

Mother: *Illinois*

X 13. Date of death of your father and mother—

+ Father: *Feb 9 - 1904*

Mother: *living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:.....

*no*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
x (1)	William Warrall	+	died
(2)	Julious Warrall	+	
(3)	Ira Warrall	+	
(4)	Robert Warrall	+	
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
x	William Warrall	James Smitheman
x	Sarah Warrall	Ruth-Ann Smitheman
		Indian name M <sup>c</sup> Curley

17. Where were they born?

*Father's Missouri*  
*mother's Parents - Illinois*

x 18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Mo*

*Mother in Illinois*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Rebecca Jane Warrall born 1842 Res Oklahoma*  
Indian name: *M<sup>c</sup>Curley*  
Residence: *Mary Elizabeth Reed July 12-1844 Res Kansas and name M<sup>c</sup>Curley*

(2) English name: *Trancy Ann Warrall born 1846 died 1878*  
Indian name: *M<sup>c</sup>Curley*  
Residence: *William Jefferson Smitheman born 1848 died 1883*  
*Indian name M<sup>c</sup>Curley*

(3) English name: *Jerre Warrall Smitheman born 1850 Res Idaho*  
Indian name: *M<sup>c</sup>Curley*  
Residence:

(4) English name: *Sarah Cordeline Warrall born 1852 died 1890*  
Indian name: *M<sup>c</sup>Curley*  
Residence:

(5) English name: *Ruth-Ann Plummer born 1856*  
Indian name: *M<sup>c</sup>Curley*  
Residence: *Douglas Kans*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

*2*



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Great-Grandfather	Joseph M <sup>c</sup> Curley	Grandfather	James Benitheman
"	" Mother Rebecca M <sup>c</sup> Curley	"	" Mother Ruth-Ann Benitheman
"	" Father Jesse Benitheman		Indian name M <sup>c</sup> Curley
"	" Mother Jesse Benitheman		

### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Minor Children

Ruthie R Darnall Born Oct-11-1900

Robert E Darnall " Aug 20 1902

Ralph W Darnall " July 11 1903

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Marion Darnall*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1906.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190

Notary Public.

### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *R. D. Blockwell* and *J. H. McKinley*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Marion Darnall*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *15* years, respectively and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*R. D. Blockwell*  
*J. H. McKinley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *Aug*, 1906.

My commission expires

*Jan 26*, 19*11*

*Le J. Darnall*  
Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

STATE OF KANSAS, BUELL COUNTY, SS:

Marian Darnall being only sworn on his oath says:

That on the 2nd day of March A. D. 1907, his duly authorized agent T. M. Harrison, did for him and on his behalf offer to file his application and proof as required by law for enrollment as a member of the tribe of Cherokee Indians to the Dawes Commission at their office to Honorable Tams Bixby member in charge, but said commissioner refused to receive said application and proofs for the reason that the same was not filed in time. Affiant further says that he has made due diligence and every effort possible to secure the necessary proofs and that the date stated was the earliest at which he was able to furnish proofs for enrollment as required by law.

Marion Darnall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Aug A. D. 1907.

Leopoldo J. Jaram  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Jan 26 1911

No. 20810

Action: Reject

Name: James Monroe Smith and X children. Residence: Boise, Idaho.

Reasons:

Uncle of Wilson.

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No. 36819

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Jesse Munroe Smithman

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*W H Roberson*  
*Atty*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jesse Munroe Senitherman

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Boise Idaho

3. County: Ada

4. State: Idaho

5. How old are you? 27 Born 1880

6. Where were you born? Green County Illinois

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Matilda Emily Senitherman age 36

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Walter Gordon Senitherman</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>1874</u>
(2)	<u>Georgia Lee Senitherman</u>	<u>none</u>	<u>1872 Missouri</u>
(3)	<u>Mrs. Albert Johnson</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1886 Missouri</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Senitherman

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Ruthann Senitherman

Indian name: Ruthann McCurley

Maiden name: Ruthann McCurley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Green Co- Illinois

Mother: Green Co Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb 7-1884

Mother: Sep 26-1889

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Rebecca Jane Darnall</u>	<u>1842</u>	
(2)	<u>Mary Elizabeth Reed</u>	<u>1844</u>	
(3)	<u>Fancy Ann Dunn</u>	<u>1846</u>	<u>1873</u>
(4)	<u>William Jefferson Smithman</u>	<u>1848</u>	<u>1883</u>
(5)	<u>Jesse Munroe Smithman</u>	<u>1850</u>	
(6)	<u>Sarah Cordelia Bennett</u>	<u>1852</u>	<u>1890</u>
(7)	<u>Ruth Ann Plummer</u>	<u>1856</u>	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Jesse Smithman  
Jensey Smithman

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Joseph M. Curley  
Rebecca M. Curley  
Indian name M. Curley

18. Where were they born? Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illinois

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Ezekiel M. Curley dead  
(2) Thomas M. Curley "  
(3) Reed M. Curley "  
(4) Lepta Brown "  
(5) Phelix M. Curley "  
(6) Mose M. Curley "  
(7) Sarah Brown "  
(8) Oliver Jamine Nortonville Ill  
(9) Ruth Ann Smithman dead  
(10) Lennie Shroader "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

James Smithman Father  
Joseph M. Curley Sr. Father Ruth Ann Smithman Mother  
Rebecca M. Curley Sr. Mother Indian name M. Curley  
Jesse Smithman Sr. Father  
Jessie Smithman Sr. Mother

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Jesse Munroe Smithman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

19<sup>th</sup>

day of

August, 1907.

J. S. Chace  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

E. J. Mathews

and

C. H. Tyler

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Jesse Munroe Smithman

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 13 years and

7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. J. Mathews  
C. H. Tyler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

19<sup>th</sup>

day of

August, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1910.

J. S. Chace  
Notary Public.

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No. 36820

Action: Reject

Name Nellie N Rhoads and 9 children. Residence Leon, Iowa

Reasons:

Cousin of #3522121. Claims thru  
same source

36820



No. 36824.  
Name Wm. L. Jordan  
With No. 36775

Remarks:

*W. H. Roberson*

No. 20820

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Nellie N. Rhoades*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*W. H. Roberson*  
*City*

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:\_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:\_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and

\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents

\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Eastern Cherokee  
Application  
of  
Nellie N. Phoebe  
For relief of my application  
for the Eastern Cherokee  
by the Act of Congress approved  
June 30th 1906, in accordance  
with the terms of the act of  
May 18th 1905 and March  
28th 1906.  
I hereby certify that the  
above named person is  
entitled to the relief  
provided for by the  
act of Congress approved  
June 30th 1906.  
Witness my hand and  
seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_ 1906.  
N. H. Reardon



SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
601 OURAY BUILDING, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due  
me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June  
30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of  
May 18th, 1905, and May 28th, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.  
The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

Note: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete.  
If you cannot answer, so state.

1. State full name --

English name: Nellie N. Rhoads

Indian name: Ind

2. Residence and Post office: Leon

3. County: Decatur

4. State: Iowa

5. How old are you? 40 yrs Born Sept 3, 1866

6. Where were you born? Wasson, Allen Co., Iowa

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. M. Rhoads - 45 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians do he or she belong? Don't know

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28th, 1906, giving  
their ages: NAMES. AGES BORN

1.	<u>Winnie Rhoads</u>	<u>23 yrs</u>	<u>Dec 16th 1883</u>
2.	<u>Archib. "</u>	<u>20 yrs</u>	<u>Jan 8th 1887</u>
3.	<u>Bertie A. "</u>	<u>18 yrs</u>	<u>Oct 14, 1887</u>
4.	<u>Wm F. "</u>	<u>15 yrs</u>	<u>Apr 24 1892</u>
5.	<u>Nellie "</u>	<u>12 yrs</u>	<u>Aug 20 1894</u>
6.	<u>Ralph B. "</u>	<u>10 yrs</u>	<u>Oct 23, 1897</u>
7.	<u>Cecil P. "</u>	<u>7 yrs</u>	<u>July 20, 1900</u>
8.	<u>Ernest F. "</u>	<u>5 yrs</u>	<u>Apr 23, 1902</u>
9.	<u>Inquest D. "</u>	<u>2 yrs</u>	<u>July 24 1905</u>
10.	<u>Lucy D. "</u>	<u>2 yrs</u>	<u>July 24 1905</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: M. Holland - Louisa Jane Holland - Louisa Jane Goodnow

12x FATHER -- English name Marshall Holland

Indian name: Don't know

MOTHER -- English name: Louisa Jane Holland

Indian name: Ford

Maiden name: Louisa Jane Goodnow

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? -----

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, lands or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAMES	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>Clara B. Holland-Bennett</u>	<u>Nov. 24, 1862</u>	<u>-----</u>
12x	<u>Leon, Iowa</u>		
(2)	<u>Nellie N. Holland-Poole</u>	<u>Sept 3, 1866</u>	<u>-----</u>
	<u>Leon, Iowa</u>		
(3)	<u>Samuel E. Holland-Pearce</u>	<u>Mar. 20th 1868</u>	<u>-----</u>
	<u>Leon, Iowa</u>		
(4)	<u>Silas J. Holland</u>	<u>Dec 5, 1870</u>	<u>-----</u>
	<u>Grand Grove, Iowa</u>		
(5)	<u>William R. Holland</u>	<u>March 20, 1871</u>	<u>-----</u>
	<u>Youngs Town, Ohio</u>		
(6)	<u>Maud L. Holland-Buchanan</u>	<u>Apr. 9th 1877</u>	<u>-----</u>
	<u>Leon, Iowa</u>		
(7)	<u>Ollie A. Holland-Knapf</u>	<u>Apr. 20th 1882</u>	<u>-----</u>
	<u>Grand Grove, Iowa</u>		



17. State English and Indian names of your grand parents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

Father's Side.

Mother's Side.

Don't know ----- Grand Father William Goodnow -----  
Grand Mother Jarah Goodnow -----  
Great Grand Father John Ford -----  
Great Grand Mother Marian Ford -----  
Indian name Ford

18. Where ~~are~~<sup>they</sup> born? mother's father Illinois mother's father Ohio  
19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ohio  
20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>Sarah Eliza Creper</u> -----	<u>West Minister, Ohio</u>
(2) <u>Cinderella Beck Shamaw</u> -----	<u>Paulding, Ohio</u> -----
(3) <u>William Levi Goodnow</u> -----	<u>Lima, Ohio</u> -----
(4) <u>Laura Marcella Goodnow</u> -----	<u>Died 1866</u>
(5) <u>Josephine Legayah Goodnow</u> -----	<u>Died 1867</u>
(6) <u>Cynthia Ann Rudy</u> -----	<u>August, Kansas</u> -----
(7) <u>Louisa Jane Holland</u> -----	<u>Conk Grove, Iowa</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, <sup>State</sup> when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:  
No -----

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grand parents back to 1835: -----

Great Grand Father John Ford -----  
Great Grand Mother Marian Ford -----  
" Father William Goodnow -----  
" Mother Sarah Goodnow -----  
Indian name Ford

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statement made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nellie M. K. Koades

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug 1907.

My Commission expires July 4th 1909

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. P. Sigler  
and J. A. Wilson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nellie  
N. Rhodes who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses mark.

Signature of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug. 1907

My Commission expires July 4th 1909

Notary Public.

Note: Affidavits should be made, when practicable, before a Notary public, or clerk of the Court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or distributing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.





No. 36821

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Lucinda D. Chesnut* and *no* children.

Residence: *Elizabethton, Tenn*

Reasons:

*Applicant or ancestors were never <sup>1, # 2</sup> enrolled. Does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee Domain in 1835-6 + 1846 as recognized members of the tribe. Does not appear that they ever lived with the Cherokees as recognized members of the tribe. Failed to appear to give testimony and fails to answer letter of inquiry from the office.*

#36821

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Action: Requested

No. 26821

Residence: Elizabethton, Tenn

R # 2

and no children.

Name: Lurelda D. Chesnut

Reasons:

Applicant or agent or were never married. Can not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee Organization 1835-6 + 1848 as recognized members of the tribe. Have not appear that they were members of the tribe. Failed to appear to give testimony. Could fail to answer letter of inquiry from the office. I

*Field Station*

No. *36821* *Car. Co. Co.*

Name *Isabella B. Chesser*

With No. ....

Remarks:

*Not an all.*



No. 130821

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Samuel B. Closs*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*M. H. Robinson*  
1287E Atty

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lurelda Barrie Chesser

Indian name: " Pain

2. Residence and post office: Elizabethton, N.C.

3. County: Carter

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 59 yrs Born Dec 22 1848

6. Where were you born? Cadwell County, N.C.

7. Are you married? a widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Husband's name was Tom Chesser

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to Cherokee tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Harry F Chesser</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>9/17/1875</u>
(2)	<u>Nancy L Chesser</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>5/27/1878</u>
(3)	<u>Antony C Chesser</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>2/25/1882</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Antony K. Barrie

Indian name: Antony K. Pain

Mother—English name: Nancy Barrie

Indian name: H

Maiden name: Nancy White

12. Where were they born?

Father: Lincoln County N.C.

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Caldwell Co. MO

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Aug. 1873

Mother: 1903

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Avery C. Barris</u>	<u>Feb. 30 1852</u>	

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

<u>Hiram Daine grand</u>	<u>father</u>	<u>Ruben White, grand</u>	<u>father</u>
<u>Katoli Keller Barris</u>	<u>grand mother</u>	<u>John Keller great</u>	<u>" "</u>
		<u>Susan Hart, grand mother</u>	
		<u>Ida Perkins great grand</u>	<u>" "</u>

18. Where were they born? on father side, know not - mother side, Caldwell Co. MO

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? were dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Cannot give  
than as given given

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

24

day of

May 1907.

E. B. Clark  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 7

, 1911.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

E. B. Clark, Notary Public, 1907

Glover  
D. A. Duggan

and D. A. Duggan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Arnold B. B. Chews

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Glover  
D. A. Duggan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

24

day of

May 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 7

, 1911.

E. B. Clark  
Notary Public.

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Appl. 151621

May 7, 1908.

Surely B. Clesser,  
Elizabethton, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

My mother the parent whom you claim not enrolled in 1852, and there was no one else enrolled in 1852-5, if I am right at that time. Where was your grandparent on the side through which you claim residing in 1852-5?

If you were a slave, please state whether a slave of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHP/ALS

30081

Sept. 3, 190 .

Lurelde D. Chessor,  
Hillsboro, Tenn.

Dear:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the system of prize fund, enclosed you will find a  
list of questions which you will please answer and return  
at once.

In connection refer to No. 3341.

Very respectfully,

Special Com. in Charge.

Very truly,  
Yours,

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* FEB 17 1909  
*No.* 3 6 8 2 1

*circ. let.*  
FEB 17 1909

Elizabethan Inn  
Feb. 14, 1909

Mr. Union Miller

Dear Sir

Will you please look  
after the claim at  
Luda B. Chesses and  
the no is 36821

Luda B. Chesses is  
dead and I am her  
sister and she gave me  
a bill of her due it  
and I would like to  
leave from you.

Yours sincerely

A. J. #2



No. 36822

Action: Reject

Name: J. J. Strickland and X children. Residence: New York, N.Y.

Reasons:

Brother of 36822 Claims three  
same office

36822

No. 36822

Name

John Jay Shickling

With No.

33245-

Remarks:

Bro. of 33245-

No. 36822

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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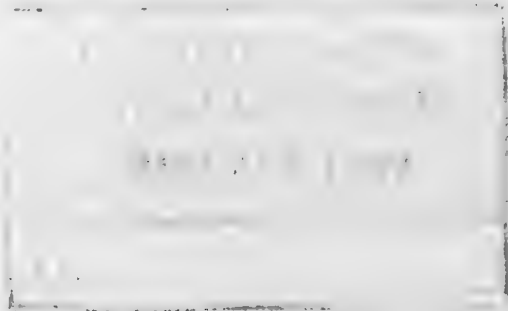
APPLICATION

OF

*John Jay Strickland*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*W. H. Robinson*  
Atty

36822

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: North Arkansas

Mother: North Arkansas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: March 12 1898

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Elizabeth Strickland</u> <u>Michila-Kansas</u>	<u>May 31 - 1852</u>	
(2)	<u>Johanna Bennett</u> <u>Michila-Kansas</u>	<u>April 19 - 1862</u>	
(3)	<u>Monroe P Strickland</u> <u>Michila-Kansas</u>	<u>Sept 2 - 1868</u>	
(4)	<u>Lozaboda Strickland</u> <u>Michila-Kansas</u>	<u>Aug 30 - 1874</u>	
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Isaac Strickland</u>	<u>John Smith</u>
<u>Hellie Strickland</u>	<u>Betsy Bowlin Smith</u>

18. Where were they born? Ind Tenn, Tenn, North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	_____
(2)	_____
(3)	_____
(4)	_____
(5)	_____
(6)	_____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*Mary Anna B. Caroline Smith Strickland made application for citizenship in 1881 under Just B. Mayes, then Chief. Her evidence was submitted to him personally and he pronounced it bonified. Her papers through the neglect of her attorney were at last date lost.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*John Jay Strickland*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

Notary Public. *Frank*

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*J. D. Glover*

and

*C. W. Jones*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*John Jay Strickland*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 14 mos and

2 mos years, respectively, and know him

to be the identical person

he represents

*himself*

to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*J. D. Glover*  
*C. W. Jones*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1907.

Notary Public.

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No. 36823

Action: Reject

Name Hayden Nickels and 6 children.

Residence: Salyserville, Ky.

Reasons:

Cousin of #16346, and claims through the same ancestors.

36823

No. 36823-24

Name

With No. 16346

Remarks:

Hayden Nichols  
John "



16346

mem

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Hayden Nickels*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36823

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Hayden Nickels*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Dalyeroville*

3. County:

*Magoffin*

4. State:

*Ky*

5. How old are you?

*32*

Born

*Aug 15<sup>th</sup> 1875*

6. Where were you born?

*in Magoffin Co. Ky.*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Rene Gibson*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Maud Nickels</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>Apr 13<sup>th</sup> 1895</i>
(2)	<i>Mariah Nickels</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1897</i>
(3)	<i>Isaac Nickels</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>Aug 17<sup>th</sup> 1899</i>
(4)	<i>Sola Nickels</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>Apr 3<sup>rd</sup> 1901</i>
(5)	<i>Warrin Nickels</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>June 5<sup>th</sup> 1904</i>
(6)	<i>Elora Nickels</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Feb 9<sup>th</sup> 1906</i>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

*Martin Nickels Polly Trusty*

Father—English name:

*Martin Nickels*

Indian name:

*Cherokee*

Mother—English name:

*Polly Trusty*

Indian name:

*Cherokee*

Maiden name:

*Polly Trusty*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*in Magoffin Co. Ky.*

Mother:

*" Breathitt Co. Ky.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Magoffin Co. Ky.

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Na

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Green Nickels</u>	<u>about 140</u>	
	<u>Wm Nickels</u>	<u>" 38</u>	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Jo Nickels</u>	<u>Party Trusty</u>
<u>Ona Nickels</u>	<u>Don't know</u>

18. Where were they born? in Indiana

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Ky.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>Green Nickels</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2) <u>Martin Nickels</u>	<u>Taulber Ky</u>
(3) <u>Billie Nickels</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(4) <u>Squire Nickels</u>	<u>Highland Co. Ohio</u>
(5) <u>Taney Nickels</u>	<u>Hardin Co. Ohio</u>
(6) <u>Bud Nickels</u>	<u>Dead</u>
<u>P Nickels</u>	<u>Spottill Magoffin Co. Ky.</u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Hayden Nickels

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug 1907.

B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 14, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Frank Blair

and

Walter Prater

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Hayden Nickels

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Frank Blair

W. R. Prater

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March 14, 1908. B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36824

Action: Reject

Name Jo Nickels and 2 children. Residence: Salpersville, Ky.

Reasons:

Cousin of #16346, and claims through  
the same ancestry.

36824

No. 30631

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

J. T. Nichols

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36824

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jo Nickels

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Dalymville

3. County: Magoffin

4. State: Kentucky

5. How old are you? 29

Born

May 29 1878

6. Where were you born? in Magoffin Co. Ky.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nan Gibson

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Permelia Nickels</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>July 17<sup>th</sup> 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Meda Nickels</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>July 20<sup>th</sup> 1905</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Triny Nickels Sizzie Cole

Father—English name: Triny Nickels

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Triny Nickels

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Sizzie Cole

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Magoffin Co. Ky.

Mother: do



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Magoffin Co. Ky.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Jo Nickels</u>	<u>Hiram Cole</u>
<u>Ona Nickels</u>	<u>Dont know</u>

18. Where were they born? in Indiana Hiram Cole Born in Ky.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Ky

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>Green Nickels</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2) <u>Martin Nickels</u>	<u>in Breathitt Co. Ky.</u>
(3) <u>Betty Nickels</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(4) <u>Squire Nickels</u>	<u>in Highland Co. Ohio</u>
(5) <u>Tracy Nickels</u>	<u>in Hardin Co. Ohio</u>
(6) <u>Bud Nickels</u>	<u>Dead</u>
<u>P Nickels</u>	<u>Quett Magoffin Co. Ky.</u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Na

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Jo X Nichols  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Mich 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Augustus Arnett

and

Charles A. Atkinson

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Jo Nichols

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Augustus Arnett

Chas. A. Atkinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Mich 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908. B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36825 Action: Reject  
Name John Hale and 5 children. Residence: Salisbury Ky.  
Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as  
#36527.*

36825

No. 36.825-  
Name John Hale  
With No. 36527.  
Remarks:

No. 36825

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

John Hale

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36825



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John Hale

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Salyserville

3. County: Magoffin

4. State: Ky.

5. How old are you? 51

Born Sept 12<sup>th</sup> 1855

6. Where were you born? in Magoffin Co. Ky.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Margaret Trusty

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Sizzie Hale</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>Aug 30<sup>th</sup> 1884</u>
(2)	<u>Daniel Hale</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>Mch 6 1886</u>
(3)	<u>John Hale</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Jan 22 1888</u>
(4)	<u>Thurman Hale</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Mch 6 1891</u>
(5)	<u>Jo Hale</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Aug 20<sup>th</sup> 1895</u>
(6)	<u>Mary Hale</u>	<u>10 months old</u>	<u>Nov 17 1906</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John Hale

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Sallie Foubush

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Sallie Foubush

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Virginia

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wm Hagopian Floyd Co. Ky.

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April Mch 20 1887

Mother: " 1865

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Na

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Wm Hale</u>	<u>1837</u>	<u></u>
	<u>Elyia Hale</u>	<u>1852</u>	<u></u>
(2)	<u>Mary A. Hale</u>	<u>1840</u>	<u></u>
	<u>Henry Hale</u>	<u>1844</u>	<u></u>
(3)	<u>Maddison Hale</u>	<u>1848</u>	<u></u>
	<u>Silas Hale</u>	<u>1850</u>	<u></u>
(4)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(5)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(6)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Don't know</u>	<u></u>
<u>"</u>	<u></u>
<u></u>	<u></u>

18. Where were they born? Don't know think in Old Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? "

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John Hale</u>	<u></u>
(2)	<u>James Hale</u>	<u></u>
(3)	<u>Washington Hale</u>	<u></u>
(4)	<u>Sallie Hale</u>	<u></u>
(5)	<u></u>	<u></u>
(6)	<u></u>	<u></u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Na

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John X. Hale

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Mar. 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Augustus Arnett

and

Charles A. Atkinson

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John Hale

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Augustus Arnett

Chas. A. Atkinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Mar. 17<sup>th</sup>, 1908. B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

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No. 36826

Action: Reject

Name Meldi Harman and 1 children. Residence: Salyersville, Ky.

Reasons:

Cousin of #16346, and claims through  
the same ancestor.

36826.



No. 36826  
Name Milder Harmon  
With No. 16346

Remarks:

*Consent*

No. 30826

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Meldi Harmon*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Meldi Harmon*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Dalyersville*

3. County:

*Magoffin*

4. State:

*Ky.*

5. How old are you?

*23*

Born

*May 5<sup>th</sup> 1884*

6. Where were you born?

*in Magoffin Co. Ky.*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Ninit Harmon*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Sibby Harmon</i>	<i>5 months old</i>	<i>Apr 4<sup>th</sup> 1907</i>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

*Obra Collins Hazetta Nickels*

Father—English name:

*Obra Collins*

Indian name:

*Cherokee*

Mother—English name:

*Hazetta Nickels*

Indian name:

*Cherokee*

Maiden name:

*Hazetta Nickels*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*in Magoffin Co. Ky.*

Mother:

*"*

*"*

*"*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died in 1892

Mother: " " 1900

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Na

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Herain Collins</u>	<u>John Nickels</u>
<u>Barbra Anypier</u>	<u>Bookley Nickels</u>

18. Where were they born? W. Magoffin Co Ky.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Floyd Co Ky.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Don't know</u>	<u>Link Nickels</u>
(2)	<u>Polly A. Collins</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Adam Collins</u>	_____
(4)	<u>Noah Collins</u>	_____
(5)	<u>Letter Collins</u>	_____
(6)	_____	_____



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Na

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Meldi X Harmon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

B.W. Higgins

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Mar. 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Augustus Arnold

and Charles A. Allison

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Meldi Harmon

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for \_\_\_\_\_ years and

\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Augustus Arnold

Chas. A. Allison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires

Mar. 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908. B.W. Higgins

Notary Public.

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No. 36827

Action: Reject. Ala.

Name Ruby A. Todd and 2 children. Residence: Metairie, La.  
R. F. D. #1.

Reasons: Witness not on roll, has not  
shown a genuine connection with  
Cherokee tribe. No official testimony  
taken in this case.

#36827

36827

*Field No.* 36827 *Manila Co.*

*Name* Riley A. Todd

*With No.* .....

*Remarks:*  
*Mayfield*

*not on rolls.*

33827

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

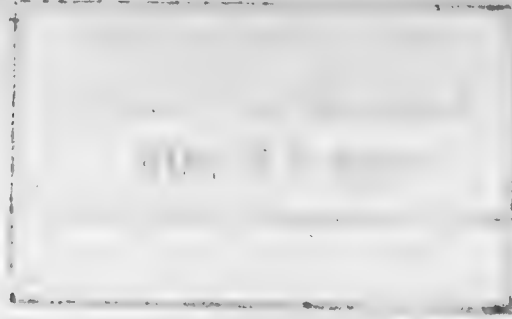
APPLICATION

OF

*Riley A. Todd*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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LC 89E



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Piley A Todd

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Extrat Ala St H #1

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 53 Born Apr 14 1854

6. Where were you born? Fair Co La

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Piley A Todd 53 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? He belongs to Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>J. D. Todd</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>1874</u>
(2)	<u>A. E. Todd</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1891</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: B. A. Todd

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: B. E. Todd

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: B. E. Weaver

12. Where were they born?

Father: in La

Mother: La

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Ga

Mother: in Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: in 1906

Mother: in 1894

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>William Todd</u>	<u>Lotharine Todd</u>
<u>" "</u>	<u>Iban Not given</u>

18. Where were they born? in South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Loan Not</u>	
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Reley A. Todd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31, 1907.

J. G. Northington  
Notary Public.  
W. H. H. H.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me O. J. Northington  
and E. H. Lewis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with R. A. Todd  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

O. J. Northington  
E. H. Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31st, 1907.

J. G. Northington  
Notary Public.  
W. H. H. H.

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Appl. #327

May 7, 1908.

Riley A. Todd,  
P. O. Box 1,  
Tomball, Ala.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1874-85, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1874-85?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or of the people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHE/ALS



No. 86828

Name

Fannie Buckner

Action:

Accepted

Reasons:

and no children.

Residence:

614 Pike St.

Chattanooga, Tenn.

It does not appear that applicant or any of her  
ancestors were ever enslaved. It does appear that  
applicant's father and mother were slaves.

Misc. Test. P. 312 -

86828

✓ Field  
Hamilton Co. Tenn.  
No. 36828  
Name Jamie Buckner  
With No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Remarks:

Not an roll.

affluent mother was a  
slave - claims this father  
who is claimed to be a  
a the blood of the

No. 36828

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Janie Buckner*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36828

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Jimmie Buckner  
English name: Jimmie Buckner  
Indian name: I don't know
2. Residence and post office: #614 Pike, Lookout Mountain, Tenn.  
3. County: Hamilton  
4. State: Tennessee  
5. How old are you? 37 Born September 26,  
6. Where were you born? Georgia  
7. Are you married? Yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Buckner age 36  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Old Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<del>Jimmie Buckner</del>		
(2)	Jimmie Farmer	14	Georgia
(3)	Clarence Farmer	7	Georgia
(4)	Jimmie Farmer	10	Georgia
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John Roberts. Perlila Hurvin  
Indian name: I don't know  
Mother—English name: Perlila Roberts  
Indian name: I don't know  
Maiden name: Roberts

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Virginia  
Mother: in Virginia



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: I dont know

Mother: I dont know

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died in 1901

Mother: died in 1881

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: I dont know

~~Cherokee~~ Tribe

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Abe Roberts <u>21</u>	Georgia	<u>I dont know</u>
	Doty Roberts	Georgia	<u>dead</u>
(2)	Fred Roberts	Georgia	<u>living</u>
	Benny Roberts	Georgia	<u>living</u>
(3)	Rebecca Roberts	Georgia	<u>Dead</u>
	Sophia Roberts	Georgia	<u>living</u>
(4)	Linn Roberts	Georgia	<u>living</u>
	Idia Roberts <u>21</u>	Georgia	<u>Dead</u>
(5)	Mary Jane Roberts <u>21</u>	Georgia	<u>Dead</u>
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

I dont know

MOTHER'S SIDE.

I dont know

18. Where were they born? I dont know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? I dont know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) I dont know

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I don't know

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Janie Buckner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug. 1907.

G. L. Nelson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept. 15 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Alice Morris

and Ellen A. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Janine Buckner

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 38 years and

years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Alice Morris

Ellen A. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Sept. 15 1910.

G. L. Nelson

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Appl. #16688

May 7, 1952.

James E. [unclear]  
614 [unclear] Street,  
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Referring to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please state whether you, your parents or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people. What was or were in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why did the agent think that you didn't get enrolled in 1901, and were you in or out of the country in 1904-5, 1906-7, at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1904-5?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CMB/ALS

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec.* MAY 22 1908

*No.*



Chattanooga to our  
May - the 5th 1851  
Dear Sir I miss a sign  
those questions. The best I  
can say grand matter  
was a Cherokee Indian  
and mixed with the  
my grand family May  
Cherokee as a  
Indian son. What  
in I am sure. What  
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Appl. #36828

Janie Buckner being first duly sworn, deposes and says:--

My name is Janie Buckner. I live at 614 Pike Street, Chattanooga, Tenn. I am 37 years old. I was born in Killedgeville, Ga. I claim to be connected to the Cherokees. I claim through my mother. I claim also through my father. I think as far as I know he had Cherokee blood in him also. My mother was born in Va. My mother was a slave of white people. My father was a slave of white people.

Janie Buckner.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June, 1908  
at Chattanooga, Tenn.

*C. E.*  
Ass't to Special Commissioner  
U. S. Court of Claims.

No. 36829

Action:

Rejected

Name

William Glass

and no

children.

Residence:

Highland Park, Tenn.

Reasons:

#2400 McDonnell St.

#36829 | Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. Does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee Domain in 1835-6 & 1846 as recognized members of the tribe. Can not appear that they ever lived with the Cherokee as recognized members of the tribe - Failed to appear to give testimony, and fails to answer letters of inquiry from the office.

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No. 36829

Name Willie Glas

With No.

Remarks:

not an roll.

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Existing reply to letter  
of  
July 11, 1908.

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Willie Glass*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36829

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Willie Glass.  
English name: Willie Glass  
Indian name: I don't know.  
2. Residence and post office: #2400 Mc Donnell St. Hilind Park.  
3. County: Walton County  
4. State: of Tennessee  
5. How old are you? 25 Born 1882.  
6. Where were you born? In Georgia  
7. Are you married? Yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Emma Glass 28 years of age.  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She belongs to the Cherokee  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: I have none.

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Willie Glass, Jane Wyatt.

Father—English name: Willie Glass.

Indian name: I don't know.

Mother—English name: Jane Glass

Indian name: I don't know.

Maiden name: Jane Glass

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Georgia.

Mother: In Georgia.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: I don't know.

Mother: I don't know.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: He is living.

Mother: She died 1873

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: I don't know.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Osper Glass 42	In Georgia	Living.
	Myrtle Glass 40	In Georgia	Living.
(2)	Zack Glass 38	In Georgia	Living.
	Tom Glass 31	In Georgia	I don't know
(3)	Julie Glass 38	In Georgia	Living.
	Jessie Glass 27	In Georgia	Living.
(4)	Mary Glass 23	In Georgia	Living.
	Ela Glass 20	In Georgia	Living.
(5)	Kathleen Glass 2	In Georgia	Living.
	Ada Glass 18	In Georgia	Living.
(6)	Lutha Glass 34	In Georgia	Dead.
	Sydney Glass 37	In Georgia	Dead.

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

~~Frank Glass~~  
~~City Glass~~  
Frank Glass.  
City Glass.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Zack Wyatt  
Mary Wyatt.

18. Where were they born? I don't know.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? I don't know.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Lucy Wyatt.

I don't know.

(2) Elvira Wyatt

I don't know.

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have not,

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I don't know

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Willie <sup>his</sup> Glass

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

C. L. Nelson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 15 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Steven Brown  
and Otis Ham, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Willie Glass  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 years and  
years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Steven <sup>his</sup> Brown  
Otis <sup>his</sup> Ham  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 15 1910, 1907. C. L. Nelson  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Appl. #36829

Mar. 7, 1948.

Willie Glass,  
257 1/2 Marshall Street,  
Highland Park Station,  
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the American Cherokee Fund, please state whether you,  
your parents or grand parents ever resided with the  
Cherokee Indians. If so, state when and where. Were you,  
your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people,  
Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and  
they have resided?

Were you ever in the United States Army or Navy during  
1917-1918, and were you ever in the United States Army or Navy  
during 1941-1945, if during that time? Were you ever a  
member of the United States Army or Navy during 1941-1945?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state  
whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CJB/ALS

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No. 36829.

July 13th, 1908.

Willie Glass,  
2400 McDarrell St.,  
Highland Park Station,  
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Dear Sir:

On May 7th, 1908, a letter was sent you from this office, requesting additional information in regard to your claim for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund; you were also notified to appear before a representative of this office at Chattanooga, Tenn. to give testimony in regard to your claim, but failed to appear. Unless you furnish the additional information requested in this letter, your claim will be rejected as the evidence in your case at the present time does not entitle you to share in the fund. The additional information required is:

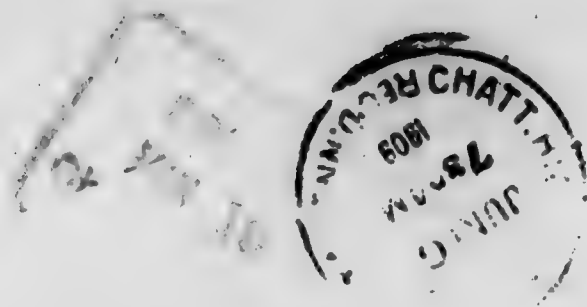
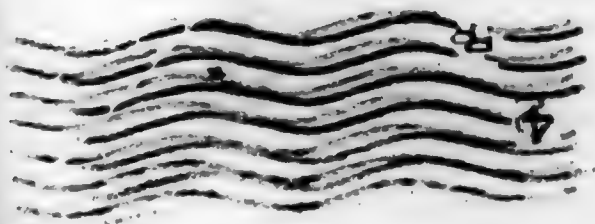
1. Why were you, your parents or your grand-parents never enrolled?
2. Were any of your ancestors slaves?
3. State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

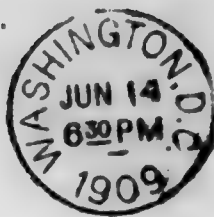
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Special Commissioner.





If not called for in 15 days, return to  
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**OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,**  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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Any person using this envelope to avoid the  
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Three Hundred Dollars

Willie Glass,

2400 Mc Donald St.,

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Highland Park Sta.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Willie Glass*  
Sir: *Chattanooga Tenn*

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36829, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 36830.

Action: Admitted

Name: Wm Bell Thomason and 1 children. Residence: 242 Sunset Ave., Atlanta, Ga.

Reasons:

(Nephew of # 5375 and claims through same source.)

No. 36430  
Name W. B. Thomas  
With No. 5375.

Remarks:



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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 11658-9

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 2678-9  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

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To: 1st Natl Bk,  
Birmingham, Ala.

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*Birmingham Ala*

*July 15* 1910.

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. *11658-9*  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number *2678-9*  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

*WB Thomason*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

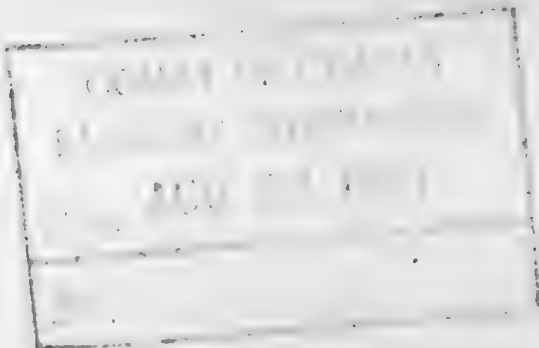
APPLICATION

OF

*W. B. Thomson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*35830*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William Bell Thurnason

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: #242 Sunset Ave Atlanta

3. County: Fulton County

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 21 Born April 3<sup>d</sup> 1886

6. Where were you born? Milton County Georgia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Johnie May Thurnason age 23

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lessie Irine Thurnason</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>July 11<sup>th</sup> 1905</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John Arnold Thurnason

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mattie Thurnason nee Mims

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mattie Mims

12. Where were they born?

Father: Milton County Georgia

Mother: unknown



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not living

Mother: Not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: don't <sup>no</sup> if she is dead or living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>May Thomason</u> <u>Died 1880</u>	<u>1878</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Minnie Cordde nee Thomason</u> <u>Address unknown</u>	<u>1881 Age 26</u>	<u>living</u>
(3)	<u>Walter Gray Thomason</u>	<u>1888 Age 19</u>	<u>living</u>
(4)	<u>James Thomason</u>	<u>1891 Age 16</u>	<u>living</u>
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>John M. Thomason (White)</u>	<u>Ellie Thomason (White)</u>
<u>Jackson Mims</u>	<u>Nancy Mims nee Collins Indian</u>

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Forsyth County Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Joseph Parker Mims</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Eliza Hughes nee Mims</u>	<u>Roswell Cobb Co. Ga</u>
(3)	<u>Benie Mims</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(4)	<u>Laura South nee Mims</u>	<u>Chicago Ill.</u>
(5)	<u>Mattie Thomason nee Mims</u>	<u>unknown</u>
(6)	<u>William P. Mims #363</u>	<u>East Hunter St Atlanta Ga</u>

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was Enrolled

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my Mother Mattie Thomas nee Mims  
my Grand Mother Nancy Mims nee Collins

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a second Cousin to ex Chief Harris of the Cherokee  
Nations his mother Susan Harris nee Collins and my  
Grand Mother Nancy Mims nee Collins Being sisters

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

W.B. Thomason

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug. 1907.

Russell Shirley

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 29th, 1911.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

R. M. Shirley

and

E. H. Nesbit

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

W.B. Thomason

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. M. Shirley

E. H. Nesbit

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

June 29, 1911. Russell Shirley

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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No.	36830

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Atlanta, Ga.,

Nov 21st 1907

To The U. S. Court of Claims

Washington D.C.

Dear Sirs:

I filed with you  
the latter part of last  
August a claim for my  
part of the sum set aside  
to pay the Eastern Tribe of  
Cherokee Indians. As yet I  
have heard nothing from it.

Please let me know at your  
earliest convenience if my  
claim has been OK. or  
what disposition has been  
made with it and also  
about what time you expect  
to pay this money out.

Very Resp<sup>tly</sup>

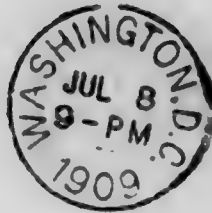
W.B. Thomason

My present address is #29 Gastkill  
Atlanta Ga



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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*W. B. Thomason,  
Atlanta, 242 Sunset Ave.,  
Ga.*

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

You are hereby notified that in my report to the Court of Claims of May 28, 1909, I have enrolled you and your *one* minor child ~~ren~~ as entitled to participate in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906.

Your number on this roll is *2678*

A copy of all the names enrolled by me as entitled to participate in said fund has been forwarded to the following places, where said roll may be examined:

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla.

Dana H. Kelsey, U. S. Indian Agent, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Secretary of Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma.

U. S. District Indian Agents at:--Vinita, Nowata, Sapulpa, Okmulgee, Checotah and Westville, Okla.

The Clerk of District Courts at:--Bartlesville, Miami, Claremore, Pryor Creek, Tulsa, Wagoner, Tahlequah, Sallisaw, Stigler and Grove, Oklahoma.

The City Clerks at:--Coffeyville and Chetopa, Kansas, and Porum, Oklahoma.

The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina.

The Clerk of U. S. District Courts at:--Rome, Savannah and Atlanta, Georgia; Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Alabama.

The Clerk of Courts at:--

North Carolina:--Murphy, Robbinsville, Franklin and Bryson City.

Tennessee:--Maryville, Cleveland, Ooltewah, Jasper, Decatur, Madisonville and Benton.

Alabama:--Center, Fort Payne, Gadsden and Guntersville.

Georgia:--Cartersville, Canton, Marietta, Dawsonville, Blue Ridge, Rome, Cumming, Ellijay, Calhoun, Dahlonega, Alpharetta, Spring Place, Jasper, Hiawassee, Blairsville, Lafayette, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville.

A limited number of copies of this roll, with the order of the Court, have been printed and will be sold at \$2.50 each, and the proceeds applied to the cost of printing.

A total of 45,857 applications, including about 90,000 individual claimants, have been considered and of these a total of 30,254 individuals have been enrolled; 3,203 of which were Eastern Cherokees residing east of the Mississippi, and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi.

The Court of Claims in its order of June 10, 1909, has directed that all exceptions to my report shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., to be filed in the Court on or before the 30th day of August, 1909.

The Court has further ordered that all exceptions to my report shall be set down for hearing before the Court on the third Monday of October, 1909.

Until these exceptions have been acted upon by the Court no money will be distributed.

Please retain this circular and present it at the time of payment.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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Wm. L. H. Mason  
242 Summit Ave  
Atlanta, Ga.  
Sept 26 1937  
RECEIVED  
BY WRITER  
CLAIMED  
ATLANTA  
GA  
Sept 26 1937

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT**

601 OURAY BUILDING

Washington, D. C.

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Receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees is hereby acknowledged. It has been filed as application No. 36730, and will be considered in its order.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above, and be addressed to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

GUION MILLER,  
Special Commissioner.



No. 36831.

Action: Reject.

Name: Julie Stephens, and 7 children. Residence: Maner, Ga.

Reasons:

Ancestors not on rolls. Does not establish genuine connection with Cherokee tribe;

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(Misc. Ext. P. 1268.)

No. 36831

Name Julie Stephens

With No.

Remarks: *See File*

not on rolls.

Applicant's father was  
a slave - came to claim  
this father's mother - about  
20y while she was  
slave or not

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Julie Stephens*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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36831

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Julie Stephens

Indian name: Hoof

2. Residence and post office: Hanner Ga. R. F. D. no 1 Box 67

3. County: Banks

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 36

Born 1871

6. Where were you born? Habersham Co, Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Henry Stephens 43

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lillie Stephens</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>1888</u>
(2)	<u>John Stephens</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1890</u>
(3)	<u>Emma Stephens</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1893</u>
(4)	<u>Martha Stephens</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1898</u>
(5)	<u>William Stephens</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(6)	<u>Thomas Stephens</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1903</u>
(7)	<u>Della Stephens</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1906</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Neal Mize, Rachel Mize, Rachel Washburn

Father—English name: Neal Mize

Indian name: Hoof

Mother—English name: Rachel Mize

Indian name: Hoof Feed

Maiden name: Rachel Washburn

12. Where were they born?

Father: Jackson Co Ga

Mother: Habersham Co, Ga



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Jackson Co. Ga.

Mother: Habersham Co. Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1886 Yet living

Mother: 1886.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mark Mize</u> <u>Carnesville Ga.</u>	<u>1873</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>William Mize</u> <u>Carnesville Ga.</u>	<u>1875</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Freeman Mize</u> <u>Martin Ga.</u>	<u>1877</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>James Mize</u> <u>Martin Ga.</u>	<u>1879</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Repard Mize</u> <u>Martin Ga.</u>	<u>1881</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>John Mize</u> <u>Martin Ga.</u>	<u>1883</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Sam Mize</u> <u>Martin Ga.</u>	<u>1876</u>	<u>" Martin Ga.</u>
	<u>Sam Mize</u> <u>Martin Ga.</u>	<u>1884</u>	<u>" Martin Ga.</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
Thomas Mize  
Hoof.

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Mary Law  
Julie Law  
Stigie Hoof.

18. Where were they born? Thomas Mize in Va Jackson Co Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Julie Law in Va  
Jackson Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Julie Jackson. Commerce Ga.

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Neal Mize, Rachel Mize (Hoof) Thomas Mize Julie Law Mize (Hoof) (Kizie Hoof.)

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Julie Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

A. A. White  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 31, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Nancy Days  
and Mrs. E. L. White, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Julie Stephens  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 36 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person. She represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Nancy Days

Mrs. E. L. White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March 31, 1908 A. A. White  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Appl. #36831

May 7, 1908.

Julia Stephens,  
P. O. Box 69,  
Lamar, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Race, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1881, and where was he or she residing in 1881-85, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1881-85?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHE/ALS

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JUN 9 1908  
*No.*



No 1

Bank County Ga

Elkins May 1<sup>st</sup> 6 =

1908

Mr. Guion Miller Dear Sir I write  
you to day in Reply to what you  
ask me about my  
Grandparents you ask me if  
me or my Grandparents  
ever lived with the Cherokee Indians  
as for my self I never did live  
with them and if my  
Grandparents ever did I  
don't know it. but I will state  
to you what my father told  
me about our Relation to the  
Cherokee Indians me + my father  
+ my mother <sup>is</sup> Recognized as negroes  
but my Grandfather on my  
father's side was a white man  
+ my Grandmother on my

No 3

but my father said that  
his gran mother come from  
virginia to this cuntry  
so thats all that is about it  
very Respectful

Julia Stephens

36831.

CHB

No 1

Bank County Ga

This May 6 = 1908

Mr. Guion Miller Dear Sir I write  
you to day in Reply to what you  
ask me about my

Grandparents you ask me if  
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ever lived with the Cherokee Indians  
as for my self I never did live  
with them and if my

Grandparents ever did I  
don't know. but I will state  
to you what my father told  
me about our Relation to the  
Cherokee Indians me + my father  
+ my mother<sup>is</sup> Recognized as negroes  
but my Grandfather on my  
father's side was a white man  
+ my Grandmother on my

No 2

father's side was a half Indian  
& the Reason why that they  
wer not in Rolid in 1851  
I could not tell, I am told  
That my gran mother through  
whom i claim my Relation  
from was living in  
Jackson county Ga  
in 1834 & 1835

my father & my gran mother  
on my father's side was  
held as Slaves By The white  
folks & if my gracie gran  
parents on my gran  
mothers side by my father  
was ever held as Slaves I  
dont no it & my father said  
That they was never held as  
Slaves as he no of



No 3

but my father said that  
his gran mother come from  
virginia to this cuntry  
so thats all that is no about it  
very Respectful

Julia Stephens

36831.

CHB

Witness in re

Appln. No. 36831.

Henry Stephens<sup>phens</sup> being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name Henry Stephens. I am 44 years old. Julia Stephens is my wife. I have known her about 30 years. I made it my business to inquire about her case. She claims Cherokee Indian, her father said. He never told me before this matter came up. She claims through her father, Neal Mize. He claims that his mother is half Indian. Her father is about 60. He said he had never received any money. I never heard him talk about the enrollment of 1851. I never heard him claim to have lived with the Indians. He never lived in any other State except Georgia. He got his Indian blood from his mother. Her name was Eady Mize. My wife's father stayed with Mr. Tom Mize. I don't know whether he claimed him as a slave. My wife's mother was a slave. I don't know whether my wife's father was a slave. My wife is about 36. Neal Mize's grandfather on his mother's side was named Hoof, and grandmother was named Feed. They lived in Jack Co., and some of the time in Elbert Co. I never heard that they took any part in the Indian meetings. My wife's father has been recognized as colored, and all her family are recognized as colored.

*Henry Stephens*  
Signature of witness.

*Copy*

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Maysville, Ga., this 9th day of July, 1908.

*A. S. M.*  
Asst. to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

COURT CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 14 1909  
No. 36837

Reject  
notice

my post office is  
at 1301 1st St. N. W. D. C.

Bonks County Ga

This August the 12 = 1909

Mr. Union Miller Special Commissioner  
Garcia. I write you to see if you  
had started a paper to  
Julie Stephens notifying her to  
give a affidavit to her

Claim. no\* 36831. The Reason  
that I have asked you this  
question is be cause that all of  
her folks that put in a claim  
has got one but she did not  
get one + we thought that if you  
had started one to her that it got  
misplaced some where.

we would be glad to hear at once  
I Remain yours Julie Stephens

A.B



my post office is  
Homer Ga R.F.D #1 Box 69

Robert  
Mason

No. 36831
Rec. AUG 14 1909
EASTERN C. & R. CO.
COURT CLAIMS

No. 36832.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Althy J. S. Davis* and *1* children.

Residence: *Snyder, Tex.*

Reasons:

*Claims through same source as #72321.*

No. 36832  
Name Althy J. S. Davis  
With No. 7234

Remarks:

No. 30892

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

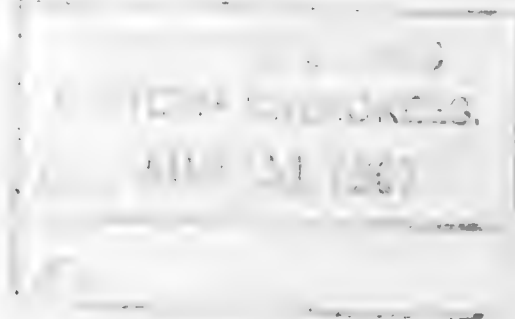
APPLICATION

OF

*Althay J. Davis*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36532



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Althy Jane Saylor Davis,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Snyder,

3. County: Scurry

4. State: Texas.

5. How old are you? 22 Born Feb. 2, 1885

6. Where were you born? Licking, Mo.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Fletcher Davis

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Doyle Davis,</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>---</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Zebedee B. Saylor

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Sallie Saylor,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Sallie Cash

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cookville, Tenn.

Mother: " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Were not living at that time.

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Feb. 21, 1900

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Thomas I. Saylor,</u>	<u>Cookville, Tenn.</u>	_____
	<u>Cooper, Texas.</u>	" "	_____
2	<u>Jessie Bird Saylor,</u>	_____	_____
	<u>Bakersfield, Cal.</u>	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Zebedee C. Saylor,</u>	<u>Licking, Mo.</u>	_____
	<u>Oil Center, Cal.</u>	_____	_____
(3)	<u>Ollie B. Bilbry,</u>	<u>Licking, Mo.</u>	_____
	<u>Cooper, Texas,</u>	_____	_____
(4)	<u>Della Ulzo Saylor,</u>	<u>Licking, Mo.</u>	_____
	<u>Cooper, Texas.</u>	_____	_____
(5)	<u>Mickle M. Saylor,</u>	<u>Whiteright, Texas,</u>	_____
	<u>Cooper, Texas.</u>	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jessie Saylor.

End Cash

Jane Saylor

Lizy Cash.

18. Where were they born? Cookville, Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? About Cookville, Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Thomas B. Saylor</u>	<u>Excelsior Springs, Mo.</u>
(2)	<u>Nancy Robinson,</u>	<u>Licking Mo.</u>
(3)	<u>Wm. Saylor,</u>	<u>Licking, Mo.</u>
(4)	<u>Harriot Sliger</u>	<u>Cookville, Tenn.</u>
(5)	<u>Boliver C. Saylor,</u>	<u>Pecan Gap, Texas.</u>
(6)	<u>Zebedee B. Saylor,</u>	<u>Cooper, Texas.</u>
<u>Mothers side, brothers and sisters.</u>		
	<u>Maggie Whiteaker,</u>	<u>Hubbard City, Texas.</u>
	<u>Lue Cash,</u>	" "
	<u>Garfeild Cash,</u>	<u>dont know.</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mickle Saylor married the daughter of Archie Elliot, Thomas Saylor was the son of Mickle Saylor, Zebedee P/ and Jessie Saylor were the sons of Thomas Saylor, Jessie Saylor was the father of my father, Zebedee B. Saylor. Archie Elliot enrolled as an Eastern Cherokee Indian in 1835.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

that they are well acquainted with Althy Jane Saylor Davis.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 9 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her, claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

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NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36833.

Name Willie Scott

Action: Reject.

Reasons:

and X children.

Residence: Cathey, Ala.

Claims through the same source as # 36146.



No. 36833

Name *Willie Scott*

With No. 36146

Remarks:

11184  
No. 36833

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION  
OF

Willie Scott

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
JAN 10 1907

36833

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Willie Scott

Indian name:

none

2. Residence and post office:

Cathay, S. Tex.

3. County:

McCurtain (Creek Nation) Western Dist (12)

4. State:

S. Tex. Oklahoma

5. How old are you?

21

Born

Oct 21 1885

6. Where were you born?

Near Cathay S. Tex.

7. Are you married?

No.

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Dobie Scott, or William Thomas Scott

Indian name:

Nakussa Nargo

Mother—English name:

Martha C. Scott

Indian name:

None

Maiden name:

Martha C. Fisher

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Near Victoria Texas, in Victoria Co.

Mother:

Near Cathay S. Tex.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: Jan 24. 1897.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Yes. Father got land in Creek Nation  
and both have drawn money in Creek Nation <sup>Father also</sup> Cherokee

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
✓ (1)	Annie Scott - Cathay, Ind.	Mar 27 - 1889	—
(2)	Lula Scott - Cathay, Ind.	1887	1889
(3)	Collie Scott - Cathay, Ind.	Aug 22 - 1891	—
(4)	Julius Scott - Cathay, Ind.	Apr 1 - 1893	—
(5)	Wallace Scott - Cathay, Ind.	May 24 - 1899	—
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

~~William Fisher~~  
Mr. M. Scott, none.  
James C. Scott,  
none.

Sarah C. Fisher  
None  
~~John M. Scott~~  
Mrs. Fisher, none

18. Where were they born? Grandfather Scott in Mississippi. Grandma Scott in Cherokee Nation. Grandfather Fisher in Alabama. Grandma Fisher in Tennessee.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grandma Scott was living

in this town, but others I don't know.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Henry Fisher	Checotah, Ind.
(2)	Sam Fisher	Cathay, Ind.
(3)	Mrs. Annie Noble	Munich, Mexico.
(4)	Mrs. Emma Scott	Cathay, Ind.
(5)	Mrs. H. V. Turner	Brush Hill, Ind.
(6)	Jim Lee Scott	Brush Hill, Ind.
(7)	Boss Scott	Cathay, Ind.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: I got land with the Creeks. Also  
shared in the "Self Immigration Claim" of Creeks.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of  
their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My great great grandmothers Suwanna Mc Lutoch  
and Anne appeared on the Eastern Cherokee  
Roll.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Willie Scott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

2nd

day of

Aug

1907.

Charles Whitaker

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 29, 1909

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Abel Kite

and

R. L. Simpson

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Willie Scott

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 years and

\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Abel Kite

R. L. Simpson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21st

day of

Aug

1907.

My commission expires

Aug 29 1909, 190

Charles Whitaker

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36834

Action: Reject

Name Nancy Triplett and 1 children. Residence: Triplett, N. C.

Reasons:

Cousin of #27830, and claims through  
the same ancestors.

No. 36834  
Name Nancy Leibel  
With No. 32242

Remarks:

*Canon*

30831

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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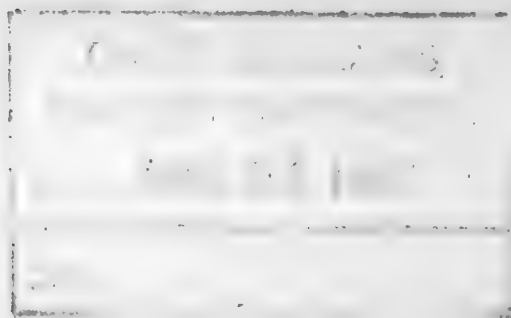
APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy Triplett*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36834



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Thos Triplett	30 years	June 1877
(2)	Martha Wheeler	24 - -	August 1883
(3)	William Triplett	23 - - -	Oct 8th 1884
(4)	June Triplett	21 - - -	June 1886
(5)	Imeneva Miller	19	April 1888
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in N.C.

Mother: in N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died in 1907

Mother: about 1876

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Perina Hodges</u>	<u>unknown to me</u>	
	<u>Triplitt N.C.</u>		
(2)	<u>Martin Rimer</u>	<u>unknown to me</u>	
	<u>Ready branch N.C.</u>		
(3)	<u>Hill J. Rimer</u>	<u>unknown to me</u>	
	<u>Middle cane N.C.</u>		
(4)	<u>Annie Denny</u>	<u>unknown to me</u>	
	<u>Triplitt N.C.</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Henry Rimer</u>	<u>Rebecca Hodges</u>
<u>Sarah Rimer</u>	

18. Where were they born? in N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John B. Hodges</u>	<u>Middle cane N.C.</u>
(2)	<u>Franky Hodges</u>	<u>Triplitt N.C.</u>
(3)	<u>William Hodges</u>	<u>Middle cane N.C.</u>
(4)	<u>Jacob Rimer</u>	
(5)	<u>Daniel Rimer</u>	
(6)	<u>Rebecca Fletcher</u>	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Eli Rimer and  
Christenia Rimer and Rebecca Hodges

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a Decedent of the Eastern  
Cherokee Tribe of Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Nancy Triplett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Allen Watson

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 21

1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Albert Greer

and

Sarah Hodges

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Nancy Triplett

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Albert Greer

Sarah Hodges

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 21

1909.

Allen Watson

Notary Public.

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No. 36835

Action: *Reject*

Name *Nevada Cox*

and

*3*

children.

Residence:

*Triplett, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 27830, and claims through the same ancestors.*



No. 26835  
Name Nevada Cox  
With No. 27830

Remarks:

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

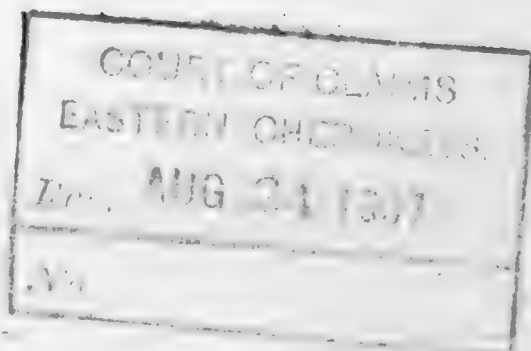
APPLICATION

OF

*Nevada Cox*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36835

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Herada Cox

Indian name: Cherokee Tribe

2. Residence and post office: Triplett

3. County: Natunga

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 20 Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? in N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Clifford Cox 18

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Biddie Cox</u>	<u>5</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Lola Cox</u>	<u>2</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Jara Cox</u>	<u>1</u>	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Marshall Triplett

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Eliza Triplett

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Eliza Randall

12. Where were they born?

Father: in N.C.

Mother: in N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not Born

Mother: not Born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Granville Triplett Triplett N.C.	24	
(2)	Sam Triplett Triplett N.C.	22	
(3)	Marshall Triplett Triplett N.C.	15	
(4)	Benson Triplett Triplett N.C.	10	
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Amrod Triplett	William M. Randall
Cherokee	Cherokee
Caroline Triplett	Sirénaw Randall

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Mandy Triplett	Triplett N.C.
(2)	Marshall Triplett	Triplett
(3)	Columbus Triplett	McGoy Tex
(4)	Gus Triplett	Elena Tex
(5)	Eliza Triplett	Triplett N.C.
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Nevada was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Marshall Triplett  
Eliza Triplett Nimrod Triplett and Caroline  
Triplett

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am of the Cherokee Indian descent

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Nevada Cox

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Allen Watson

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 21

1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. S. Carroll

and

E. P. Hodges

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Nevada Triplett

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. S. Carroll

E. P. Hodges

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 21

1907.

Allen Watson

Notary Public.

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No 36836.

Action: Reject

Name John W Abbott and 4 children. Residence: Leaf Ga.

Reasons: Uncertains not on roller. Does not estab-  
lish genuine connection with Cherokee  
tribe.

#36836

Misc. W. P. 1525-26,

White Co. *Thiel*  
Ga.

No. 36836

Name *John W. Abbott*

With No.

Remarks:

*Exp. Title*

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*Ga*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

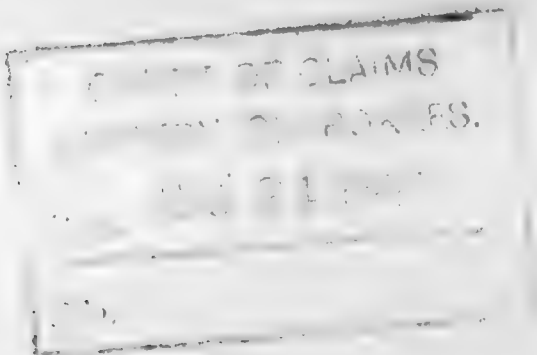
APPLICATION

OF

*John H. Abbott*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36836



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John W Abbott

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Wray Creek Leaf,

3. County: White

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 38 Born November 20<sup>th</sup> 1869

6. Where were you born? White County Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Janey Abbotte

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Arthur Abbotte</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1895</u>
(2)	<u>Mary, M.</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1903</u>
(3)	<u>Paul</u>	<u>7 months</u>	<u>1907</u>
(4)	<u>Junie</u>	<u>about 25</u>	
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Robinson

Father—English name: Mather Abbotte

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Rachel Abbotte

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Robertson

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pickens County N.C.

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Cant Tell

Mother: Still Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:       No      

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
6	John C. H. H.	1873	Living.

(1) David, S. Albothe 1873 Living  
in Hill County Texas

(2) .....

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(3) .....

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(4) .....

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(5) [REDACTED]

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(6) .....

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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

MOTHER'S SIDE.

### FATHER'S SIDE.

Benjamin Abbott Cant-Say

Betty M. Abbott

.....

18. Where were they born? Can't tell

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(I) can't tell

(2) .....

(3) .....

(4) .....

(5) .....

(6) .....

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: it is impossible

for me to do so, they grand parents  
on my Father's side was. Abbot's grand mother Moirs

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John W. Abbot

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21

day of

Aug

1907.

E. A. Alexander J. P.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Joseph J. Dorsey

and

Payton S. Dorsey

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John W. Abbot

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

for Life years and

\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know

him to be the identical person

that he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by

him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

P. S. Dorsey

J. J. Dorsey

mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

21

day of

August

1907.

My commission expires

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E. A. Alexander J. P.

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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Mr. J. M. Miller

Sir, I have the honor

to acknowledge the receipt of

your letter of the 11th inst.

and in reply to inform you

that the same has been forwarded

to the proper authorities for their

consideration. Very respectfully,

J. M. Miller

Appl. #36856

July 7, 1902.

John B. Abbott,  
Leaf, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

My was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1881, and where was he or she residing in 1881, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residence in 1881-1885?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

12/10/02

Dear Sir,

May 15  
Mr. G. M. Jones  
Sir, I am writing to you  
about my claim. I was  
born in 1851 and I  
was in the army during  
the Civil War. I was  
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regiment and I was  
killed in 1864. I was  
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in the 1st MI  
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killed in 1864 and  
I was buried in the  
cemetery at the  
time. I was in the  
army for 12 years  
and I was in the  
1st MI regiment.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 36836.

R. E. Kensie, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is R. E. Kensie and I reside at Leaf, Ga. I am appearing in this case as a witness for John W. Abbott; I have known him for about forty years and know his father, Mathy Abbott, and know his grandfather, Benjamin Abbott. I heard old Ben Abbott say that he had Cherokee Indian blood, I do not know how much. I do not remember old Ben Abbott going West with the Indian. I never heard him say that he was enrolled or ever received any land or money from the Government. He resembled an Indian very much. I remember old Ben Abbott saying that he went from Cherokee Co., Ga. to North Carolina and from North Carolina to White County, Ga. I remember old Ben Abbott once saying that he was mixed pretty heavy with the Indians and I told him that he looked like it. This is all I know about the matter.

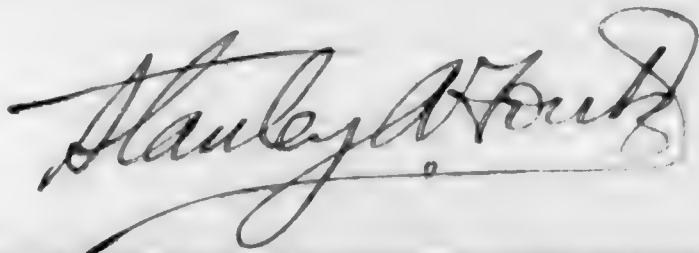
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H. L. Daley

(Signed) his  
R. E. x Kensie

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Subscribed and sworn to before me at Clarksville, Ga.  
this 15th day of July, 1908.



Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

No. 36836.

John W. Abbott, being first duly sworn, deposes  
and says:

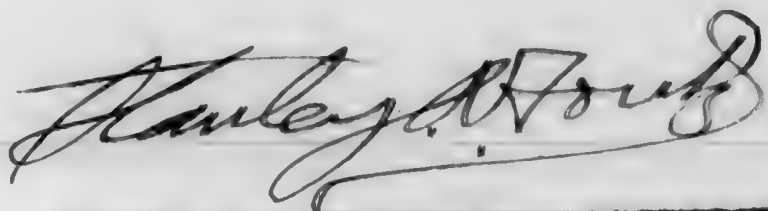
My name is John . Abbott and I reside at Leaf, Ga.  
I was born in White Co., Ga. in 1869. I claim relationship  
to the Cherokee Indians through my father, Mathey Abbott, who  
claims through his father, Benjamin Abbott, and he claims through  
his father, I do not know his name, but I have been told that he  
was a full blood Cherokee Indian. I have never seen my father  
or grandfather, and all I know I have been told. I have understood  
that my father was born in Gwinnett County. I have been told  
that my grandfather was born in Cherokee Co., N. C. This is  
all I know about the matter, but I have a witness here who knows  
about my people.

Test: M. L. Daley

his  
(Signed) John W. x Abbott

mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Clarksville, Ga.  
this 13th day of July, 1908.



Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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January 5 1909

App. no 36836  
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Sir in the matter  
of charges & collection  
made by the union  
I am writing to  
you to inform you  
that the union  
has been notified  
that the charges  
are not to be  
collected.

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JAN 8 1909
COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 36836

Will you please  
note the  
charges  
against  
the union  
and  
inform me  
of the result.

App. No. 36836.

November 6, 1909.

John W. Abbott,  
Leaf,  
Georgia.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of November 3, 1909, you are advised that the time for filing exceptions to my report has been extended to November 15, 1909, and it will probably be some time after that date before the decision in any particular case, in which an exception has been filed, will be announced.

The exception you have filed in your case will be taken up for consideration in its regular order.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
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Mr. Union Miller

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No. 36837

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Bertha Greer* and *5* children. Residence: *Triplitt, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #27830, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

No. 36837  
Name *Arthur Green*  
With No. 27830

Remarks:

36837  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Bertha Greer*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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RECEIVED
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36837

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Virgil Greer	9	
(2)	Sherman Greer	7	
(3)	Maggie Greer	5	
(4)	Lillie Greer	3	
(5)	Ednie Greer	1	
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in N.C.

Mother: in N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>A. P. Triplett</u> <u>Middle Lane N.C.</u>	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Chas Triplett</u> <u>Triplett N.C.</u>	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Alphus Miller</u>	<u>Luke Triplett</u>
<u>Jane Miller</u>	<u>Cherokee Tribe</u>
_____	<u>Patsy Triplett</u>
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? in N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Darby Triplett</u>	<u>Middle Lane N.C.</u>
(2)	<u>Ervin Triplett</u>	<u>Bamboo N.C.</u>
(3)	<u>Moses Triplett</u>	<u>Mt Zion N.C.</u>
(4)	<u>Calvin Miller</u>	_____
(5)	<u>Washington Miller</u>	_____
(6)	<u>Lee Miller</u>	<u>Gap Creek N.C.</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Darby Triplett  
and Margaret Triplett Luke Triplett and  
Patsy Triplett

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I am a Decendant of the Eastern  
Cherokee Tribe

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Bertha Greer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Allen Watson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Sarah Hodges  
and M. S. Hampton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Bertha Greer  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Sarah Hodges  
M. S. Hampton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1907. Allen Watson  
Notary Public.

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No. 36838

Action: Reject

Name Franky Hodges and — children.

Residence: Triplett, N.C.

Reasons:

Cousin of #27830, and claims through the same ancestors.

No. 36838-39

Name Franky Hodges

With No. 32242

Remarks:

Glenn P. Hodges



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No. 30838

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

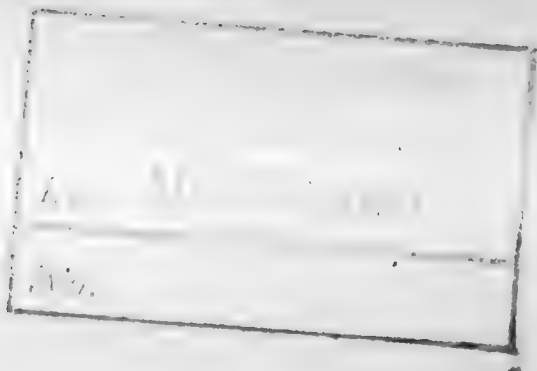
APPLICATION

OF

*By*  
Franky Hodges

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Osany Hodges	5 5	
(2)	Jacob Hodges	5 5	
(3)	W. L. Hodges	4 5	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: *all her children Rebecca Hodges never married till after the birth of*

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: *in Watanga co.*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: *in 1897*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: *never was*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>John R. Hodges</i> <i>W. W. Hodges</i>	<i>85 years in K. C.</i> <i>75</i>	
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

*John Hodges*

MOTHER'S SIDE.

*Mary Hodges*

18. Where were they born? *in K. C.*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *in K. C.*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: *all dead*

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother Rebecca Hodges  
Grand parents John Hodges & Mary Hodges  
in 1845

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

James To be the 4th generation

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Franky Hodges

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of Aug 1907.

Allen Watson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

William Hodges

and Maggie Carroll, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Franky Hodges

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 60 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William Hodges

Maggie Carroll

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 22, 1909. Allen Watson  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36839

Action: Reject

Name Elisha P. Hodges and — children.

Residence: Triplett, N. C.

Reasons:

Cousin of #27830, and claims through the same ancestors.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

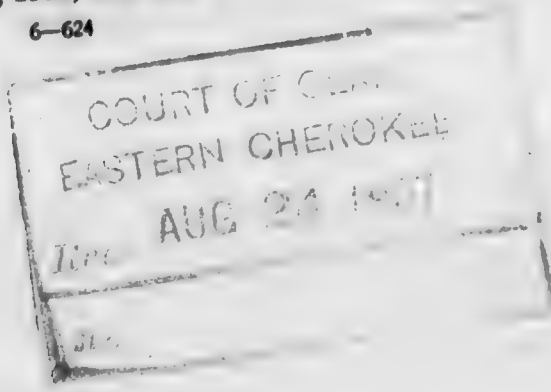
APPLICATION

OF

*Elisha P. Hodges* \_\_\_\_\_

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Elisha P. Hodges*

Indian name:

*Cherokee Tribe*  
*Triplett*

2. Residence and post office:

*Watauga*

3. County:

*N.C.*

4. State:

5. How old are you?

*52*

Born

6. Where were you born?

*in N.C.*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Nancy Hodges 48*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>William N. Hodges</i>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*William N. Hodges*

Indian name:

*Cherokee Tribe*

Mother—English name:

*Annie Hodges*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Annie Farmer*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*in N.C.*

Mother:

*in N.C.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: William H. Hodges and  
Annie Hodges Rebecca Hodges

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Descendant of the Eastern  
Cherokee Tribe of Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elisha P. Hodges

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Allen Watson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me William H. Hodges  
and Albert Greer, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Elisha P. Hodges  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William H. Hodges  
Albert Greer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1909. Allen Watson  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. *36840.*

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Sam Wheeler.* and *5.* children. Residence: *Triplet, O.C.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source  
as # 22049.*

No. 36840  
Name Lm Wheeler  
With No. 22049

Remarks:

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No. ~~33810~~

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

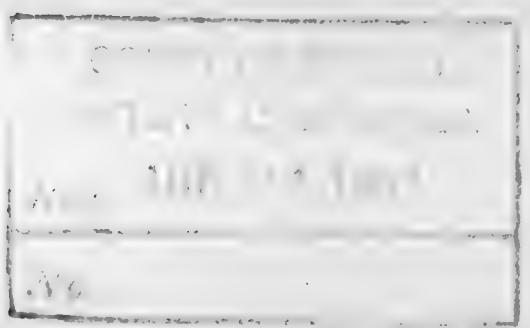
APPLICATION

OF

*Sam Wheeler*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Council Wheeler	20 years	March 1887
(2)	James Wheeler	18 - -	May 1889
(3)	Arthur Wheeler	16 - -	June 1891
(4)	Ernest Wheeler	13	December 1893
(5)	Nora Wheeler	10	November 1896
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: inv H.C.

Mother: iv N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died in Civil War

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(I)	Thos Wheeling	June 1 <sup>st</sup> 1849	living

(2) Salmon Wheeling September 1830 living  
Middle Lane N.C.

(3) Martha Miller well known to me  
Triplett, N.C.

(4) Carson Wheeling unknown to me  
Elizabeth to Tenn

(5) .....

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE  
Jesse Wheeling

MOTHER'S SIDE  
Hesley Waters,  
Cherokee Tribe

Cherokee Tribe

Martha Waters

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18. Where were they born? in N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Carson Wheeling M: 11 #

(2) Martha Wheeling Triplet N

(3) Linville Station Gap Creek

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

(0) .....

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Merley Waters and  
Martha Nelson Indian name unknown  
to me

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a Descendant of the Eastern  
Cherokee Tribe of Indians as have been  
taught to by my Ancestors

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Gene Wheeler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

Allen Watson

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Lester Parker  
and Sarah Hodges who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Gene Wheeler  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Lester Parker

Sarah Hodges

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1909.

Allen Watson

Notary Public.

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No. 36841.

Name Carrie Irvin

Action: Admitted.

Reasons:

and 4

children.

Residence:

Muldrow, Okla.

*Daughter*

~~Niece~~ of #16496 and claims through the same source.



No. 36841

Name Carrie Turin

With No. 16496

Remarks:

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

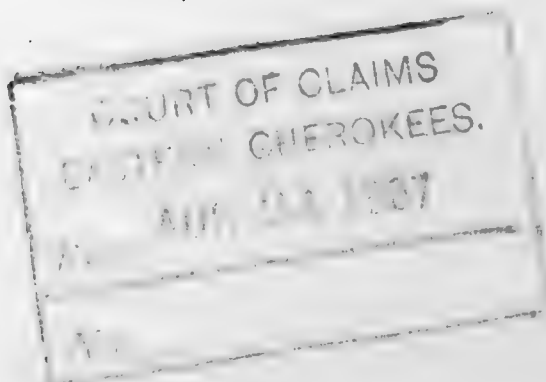
APPLICATION

OF

*Carrie Irwin*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*1789E*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Carrie Irvin  
English name: Carrie Irvin  
Indian name: have none
2. Residence and post office: Muldrow
3. County: Dist 11
4. State: Ind. Ter
5. How old are you? 28 Born March 10 1879
6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Paul Irvin 27 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Ordelia</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Dec 19 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Essie Irvin</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Oct 8 1903</u>
(3)	<u>Bessie</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Oct 8 1903</u>
(4)	<u>Otis</u>	<u>18 months</u>	<u>Jan 12 1906</u>
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Rach Lane, Mary J McCabe  
Father—English name: Rach Lane  
Indian name: had none  
Mother—English name: Mary J Lane  
Indian name: had none  
Maiden name: Mary J McCabe

12. Where were they born?

Father: Arch/Kuon  
Mother: Sebastian Co Ark

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: dent

Mother: not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 1885

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Mother enrolled for

Strip Money and Land

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lizzie Barry	not born	Aug 1896

(2)	Henry Lane	Oct 22 1880	
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(3)	Jerri Woodward	Sept 4 1883	
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(4)	Mary Gallaway	May 16 1885	April 23 1905
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(5)	Bornie Partain	Dec 23 1888	
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(6)			
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17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>dent 1 born</u>	<u>dent 1 born</u>

18. Where were they born? dent 1 born

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? dent 1 born

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>dent 1 born</u>	
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(2)		
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(3)		
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(4)		
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(5)		
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(6)		
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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Ship Money and

Land Allotted by Dawes Commission

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Don't know any thing about  
them

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My father was a white man  
Jimmie Woodhouse & Mary Hallaway  
Bonnie Partain are my half sister

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Barrie Irwin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

J. W. Brown

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 17, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Henry McDonald

and

Nelson O. Britton

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Barrie Irwin

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Henry McDonald

Nelson O. Britton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July 17, 1908

Notary Public.

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No. 36842.

Action: Rejected

Name: James Thompson and children.

Residence: 512 S. 1st St.

Reasons:

Trinidad, Penn.

Johnnie Thompson the same, correct as above

3  
No. 36842, missing  
Name Lt. Oscar Langley  
With No. 32256.

Remarks:

22256

50842

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*F. Oscar Sawyer*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Williamson County Tenn Near Franklin

Mother: Williamson County Tenn Near Franklin

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: 1887

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: My mother was enrolled in 1882

for 160 Acres of land in the Indian Territory with Cherokee Indian Nation

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William Sawyers</u>	<u>1878</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Robert Sawyers</u>	<u>1881</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Laura Sawyers</u>	<u>1884</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

William Sawyers  
Sarah Sawyers

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Nicholas Edmondson <sup>slave name</sup> Aaron  
Amey Edmondson <sup>slave name</sup> Aaron

18. Where were they born? Williamson County Near Franklin Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Williamson County Tenn Near Franklin

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Benjamin Sawyers</u>	<u>Mrs. Sallie Owens</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Watt Sawyers</u>	<u>Martha Griffin</u>	<u>Miss</u>
(3)	<u>Byrd Sawyers</u>	<u>Judy Curtis</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(4)	<u>Olemy Sawyers</u>	<u>Henry Scott</u>	<u>Nashville Tenn</u>
(5)	<u>Mamie Patton</u>	<u>Rebecca Jane Hill</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(6)	_____	<u>Annora Cockett</u>	<u>Nashville Tenn</u>
		<u>Laura Sawyers</u>	<u>Dead</u>
		<u>John Edmondson</u>	<u>Indian Territory</u>
		<u>David Edmondson</u>	<u>Dead</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes as a minor heir for 160 acres  
of land in the Indian Territory in 1882 with the Cherokee Indian Nation

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents Henry Samyers & Larora Samyers  
Grand Parents Nicholas Edmondson Aaron & Amy Edmondson Aaron  
Great grand Parents Abslam Aaron & Pleuvannah Aaron

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Great Grand Mother was a full blooded Cherokee  
Indian, she first lived in Missouri and then in North Carolina  
and then she was brought over in Williamson County Tenn.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Fred Oscar Samyers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of August 1907.

Joel Johnson Jr  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct. 2nd 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. M. Sidelbottom  
and Fred C. Dorider, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Fred Oscar Samyers  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 years and  
18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. M. Sidelbottom

Fred C. Dorider

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct. 2 1910.  
Joel Johnson Jr  
Notary Public.

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No. 36843 Action: Reject.  
Name: Robert H. Hooker and 3 children. Residence: William Tenn.

Reasons:

Claim through the same source  
Art# 34180.



No. <sup>Missing</sup> 36843-44.

Name.....

With No. 35620.

Remarks:

Roll, Noah Hooks -  
June 16, '11

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Robt. Noah Hooks*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36843

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Mary Lucella Hooks	3	Aug. 17, 1903.
(2)	Margaret Lucella Hooks	2	Oct. 9, 1904
(3)	Louis Overton Hooks	1	Jan. 27, 1906.
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: I don't know

Mother: not born, I think

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Dec. —, 1895, if I mistake not

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James Dan Hooks R.R. 1, Hilham, Tenn.	Feb 9, 1875	
(2)	Mary (Polly) Ann Lee Hilham, Tenn.	Aug 11, 1881	
(3)	Nancy Susan Dickerson Hilham, Tenn.	Nov. 20, 1886	
(4)	John Hooks Hilham, Tenn.	Aug 9, 1894	
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

no claim on father's side (Eng) John Carmack — grand father  
(Ind) none  
Eug. Mary (Polly) Carmack — grand mother  
(Ind) Mary " Harmon, grand-  
daughter Chas Harmon.

18. Where were they born? I do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Overton Co, Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jesse Wash Carmack, Jr	Hilham, Tenn.	3562
(2)	James M.	" " R.R. 1.	2571
(3)	A. Ridley	" " " 1.	
(4)	Jennies	" " "	
(5)	Margaret L	" " Hooks (dead)	
(6)	Elizabeth (Polly) A. Masters,	Hilham, Tenn., R.R. 1.	
(7)	Nancy S	" " " "	
(8)	J. M. Jane	" " " "	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Louis Hooks & Margaret L. Hooks,

parents; John & Mary (Harrison) Carmack, grandparents; Edward  
(And) Elmer - Elmer great grand parents; Charles Harrison, great,  
great grand father.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

(See affs of John D. White, Eliza J. Gore, A. J. & Wm. Bilyeu  
filed in A. J. & Wm. Bilyeu's and in W. W. Elmer's et al,  
applications from here.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Robt N Hooks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

W. D. Fiske

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5

, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. H. Allred

and

Mc B. Fisk

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Robt. Noah Hooks

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Allred

Mc B. Fisk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5

, 1908.

W. D. Fiske

Notary Public.

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Eastern Cherokee Indians

75 / No 36842

Exceptions

United States

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES SEP 7 1909



Eastern Cherokee Indians )

Vs )

United States )

In the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C.

BILL OF EXCEPTIONS.

Robert Noah Hooks, of Wilham, Tenn., Route 1, No. 36843, files this as his Bill of Exceptions to the report of the Special Commissioner, Guion Miller, upon the following grounds, to wit:

He excepts to the testimony of William Wesley Elam, in so far as it does not make mention of the relationship of the descendants of Polly Carmack, formerly Paddy Elam, to Charles Harmon, and further except upon the ground that he can prove by positive testimony of living witnesses, who knew Charles Harmon in his lifetime, and also know the relationship of the descendants with Charles Harmon, and he states that he can also prove that Charles Harmon (the ancestor through whom he claims) was a Cherokee Indian and lived in the Cherokee Reservation in 1835 and 1836. He herewith sends the testimony of Pat Langford and J. H. Fiddleston to prove the foregoing facts. He also annexes the testimony of Jesse W. Carmack and William Pilyeu a part of this bill of exceptions. *also refers to and makes affidavit as to the facts set out in his bill of exceptions*

State of Tennessee) Personally appeared before me, W. D. Hicke, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, Robert Noah Hooks, with whom I am personally acquainted, who states that the foregoing facts set out in his bill of exceptions are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief. And I certify that said bill is known to me to be the intentional person so represents himself to be. Witness my hand and official seal, this August 26th., 1908.

Notary Public.

My Com. expires Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup> A. D. 1913.

No. 36844 Action: Reject.  
Name: Lewis Hooks, Gdn. and X children. Residence: Wilbur Tenn.  
Reasons:

Claim through the same source  
at # 34186.



No. 30841

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

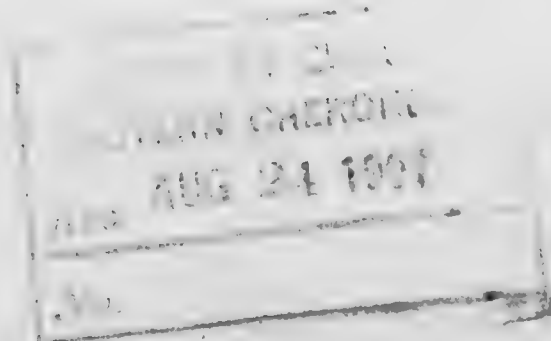
### APPLICATION

*Louis Hooks* <sup>or</sup> *for his minor*  
*child*

*John Wesley Hooks*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Application by parent for Minor Child.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

Louis Hooks for his minor child

1. State full name—

English name:

John Wesley Hooks

Indian name:

Harrison

2. Residence and post office:

Hilham

3. County:

Overtou

4. State:

Tenn

5. How old are you?

13

Born

Aug 9, 1894

6. Where were you born?

In Overtou Co., Tenn.

7. Are you married?

no

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

X

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	X		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of ~~your~~ father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Louis Hooks

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Margaret L. Hooks

Indian name:

Harrison

Maiden name:

Cannack or Harrison

12. Where were they born?

Father:

In Blount Co., Tenn., same told

Mother:

" Overtou "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Blount Co., Tenn

Mother: I don't think she was born

14. Date of death of <sup>minors</sup> your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Been dead about 12 years

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	J. D. Hooks, Hickman, Tenn;		
	Robt. W. " " "		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

no claim on this side (Eng) John & Polly Carruack  
(Ind) Harwood, by Polly.

18. Where were they born? In Overton Co., Tenn; I think

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Overton Co., Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Jesse W. Carruack, Jr. Hickman, Tenn.
- (2) Jas. W. " " " " R.R. 1
- (3) R. R. " " " " " "
- (4) Tennessee Brown, " " " "
- (5) Elizabeth Betty R. Maden, " " R.R. 1.
- (6) M. Jane Jones (dead)
- Nancy B. Bost, Hickman, Tenn, R.R. 1.
- Margaret L. Hooks - (dead) minor mother.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835 Louis & Margaret (Harmon) Hooks, parents;  
John & Polly (Harmon) Carmack, grand parents; Ed & Elizabeth Elam,  
great grand parents; Charles Harmon, great great grand parent.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Minor claims through Charles Harmon, a Cherokee Indian,  
he being the grand parent of Polly Carmack, minor  
grand mother, she being Polly Elam.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John W. Hooks, by Louis Hooks, parent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of August, 1907.

W. D. Fiske

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mc B. Fisk

and Abe Hawkins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Louis Hooks parent of minor John W. Hooks, his child,  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Mc B. Fisk

Abe Hawkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908. W. D. Fiske

Notary Public.

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No. 36845.

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Martin Shermate* and *1* children. Residence: *Tulsa, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Son of #18153 and claims through the  
same source.*

No. 36845-47

Name .....

With No. 18153.

Remarks:

Martin Shremate  
Chas F Bramwell  
Ida May Giles

18153

Per of #18103.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

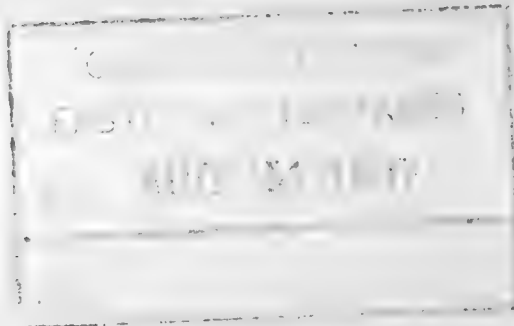
APPLICATION

OF

*Martin Shoemate*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Elliott + Ramsey*  
*Tulsa*  
*L. T.*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Martin Shoemate

Indian name:

none

2. Residence and post office:

Tulsa, Indian Territory

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

just 47 yrs.

Born

May 20-1860

6. Where were you born?

Jackson Co. Illinois

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Manda Shoemate

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none - white woman

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Allie Shoemate	5 yrs. just	May 20-1902
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

John Shoemate - a white man

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Elizabeth Billee

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Elizabeth Reed

12. Where were they born?

Father:

born in Missouri -

Mother:

East Tennessee



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Jackson Randolph County, Illinois

Mother: Randolph County, Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1851

Mother: living at Tulsa, Ind. Ter.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: mother enrolled in Tennessee, again in Illinois Cat & Brownville County (Knox) with Cherokee tribe of Indians received annuities as such - last payment received 1888 in Jackson Co. Ill. and was called "breck money"

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Alice Bramwell</u>	<u>Jan 5<sup>th</sup> 1875</u>	<u>—</u>
(2)	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
(3)	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
(4)	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
(5)	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
(6)	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>unknown</u>	<u>William Reed</u>
<u>—</u>	<u>Margaret Reed whose</u>
<u>—</u>	<u>maiden name was</u>
<u>—</u>	<u>Margaret Fordimer</u>

18. Where were they born? grand mother - Pennsylvania - grand father - Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Jackson Co., Illinois.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John Reed</u>	<u>Carletonville, Randolph Co. Ill.</u>
(2)	<u>Emley Reed</u>	<u>Murphysburg, Jackson Co. "</u>
(3)	<u>married but name of husband unknown.</u>	<u>—</u>
(4)	<u>Mathew Carroll Reed</u>	<u>dead</u>
(5)	<u>Sam Reed</u>	<u>dead</u>
(6)	<u>Lila Reed</u>	<u>dead</u>
(7)	<u>Wm Reed</u>	<u>dead</u>
(8)	<u>Mitilday Reed</u>	<u>dead</u>
(9)	<u>Willie James Reed</u>	<u>dead.</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never enrolled.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: can not do this any further than already given.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Martin <sup>his</sup> Shoemate

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

John R. Ramsey  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

November 12, 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me George W. Mowbray  
and Reuben L. Partridge, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Martin Shoemate  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 19 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo. W. Mowbray  
Reuben L. Partridge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

November 12, 1910.

John R. Ramsey  
Notary Public.

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and say that they are well acquainted with Martin Shumate who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 19 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Chas. H. Shumate  
Robert W. L. Partridge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August, 1907.

John P. Ramsey  
Notary Public.

My commission expires November 12, 1910.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

### SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Martin Shumate

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: Martin Shoemate
2. Residence and post office: Tulsa
3. County: Indian Territory
4. State: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Date and place of birth: May 20 - 1860 - Jackson Co. Illinois
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Manda Shoemate
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? none. white woman
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Ellie Shoemate</u>	<u>5 yrs past</u>	<u>May 20 - 1902</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never enrolled.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Martin <sup>his</sup> Shoemate  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

John R. Ramsey  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

November 12, 1910.



AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me George W. Mowbray and Reuben L. Partridge who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martin Shemate who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 19 years and 13 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo. W. Mowbray  
Reuben L. Partridge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August, 1907.

John R. Ramsey  
Notary Public.

My commission expires November 12, 1908.

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No. ....

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Martin Shemate

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

R. P. ELLIOTT      JOHN E. RAMSEY  
LAW OFFICES OF  
**ELLIOTT & RAMSEY**  
TULSA, IND. TER.

Tulsa, Ind. Ter., August 21st 1907.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims  
601 Ouray Bldg., Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find applications, of Ida May Gilles, Martin Shoemate and Alice Francis Bramwell, also supplemental applications of the two last named persons for their minor children, all for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund. Please file and notify us of their receipt.

Yours respectfully,

*Elliott & Ramsey*

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. Aug. 14, 1908.

Application No. 56845--18153

Martin Shoemate,  
Tulsa, Okla.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that H. . Ketron one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at ~~Tulsa, Oklahoma~~ on ~~Thursday, September 3~~, 1908, at 9 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by making inquiry at the principal hotel.

■ If you are enrolled on the Final Rolls of Citizens of the Five Civilized Tribes, you should bring with you the number of your enrollment, and also the number of your Census Card.

■ Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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Martin Shoemate,  
Tulsa, Okla.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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18153

UNRECORDED.

Martin Shoemate,

Tulsa, Okla.

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No. 36846.

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Alice Francis Bromwell* and *3* children. Residence: *Tulsa, Okla*

Reasons:

*Daughter of # 181 53 and claims through  
the same source*

*Daughter of #18152*

No. 30846

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Alice Francis Bramwell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*L. T.*

3rd Shoemate

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Alice Francis Brammell

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Tulsa, Indian Territory.

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? 32 years Born January 5<sup>th</sup> 1875

6. Where were you born? Jackson County, Illinois

7. Are you married? widow married three times.

8. Name and age of wife or husband (1st husband Louis Gilles, divorced about 10 years ago  
2nd husband John Hanner - dead;  
3rd husband Will Brammell - dead.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Louis Gilles, a Delaware - Hanner  
and Brammell white.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Thomas Anthony Gilles</u>	<u>16 yrs</u>	<u>April 29-1891</u>
(2)	<u>Venia Viola Hanner</u>	<u>9 yrs</u>	<u>July 30-1898</u>
(3)	<u>Lee Jewel Hanner</u>	<u>2 yrs</u>	<u>July August 5-1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John Shoemate

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Gilles

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Elizabeth Reed.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Tennessee



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not known

Mother: Jackson County Illinois.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1877

Mother: still living at Tulsa. I. T.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: mother enrolled in Tennessee, again in Illinois (at Rensselaer Court House) with Cherokee tribe of Indians received annuities as such - last payment received was at in Jackson Co. Ill. - and was called "bread money"

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Martin Shremate</u> <u>Tulsa. Ind. Tex.</u>	<u>May 20 - 1860</u>	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

unknown

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Reed.  
Margaret Reed, whose  
maiden name was  
Margaret Fordine

18. Where were they born? grand-mother - Pennsylvania - G. father - Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Jackson Co. Ill.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John Reed</u>	<u>Carrollville, Randolph Co. Ill.</u>
(2)	<u>Emley Reed.</u>	<u>Murphy'sburg, Jackson Co. "</u>
(3)(8)	<u>now married, but name of husband unknown.</u>	
(3)(4)	<u>Mathias Carroll Reed</u>	<u>dead.</u>
(4)(5)	<u>Sam Reed</u>	<u>dead.</u>
(5)(6)	<u>Silas Reed</u>	<u>dead.</u>
(6)	<u>Wm Reed</u>	<u>dead.</u>
(7)	<u>Mitilda Reed.</u>	<u>dead.</u>
(8)	<u>Willie James Reed.</u>	<u>dead.</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: none

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: cannot do this any further than already given

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Alice Francis Bramwell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

John R Ramsey

Notary Public.

My commission expires

November 12, ~~1907~~ 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

George H. Mowbray

and

Reuben L. Partridge

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Alice Francis Bramwell

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 19 years and

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years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo. H. Mowbray  
Reuben L. Partridge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 12 - 1910, ~~1907~~

John R Ramsey

Notary Public.

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Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21

day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Nov 12 - 1910

Notary Public.

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No. ....

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

### SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Alice Francis Brownell

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



# Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. ....

1. State your full name: Alice Francis Bramwell
2. Residence and post office: Tulsa Indian Territory.
3. County: .....
4. State: .....
5. Date and place of birth: January 3<sup>rd</sup> 1875 at Jackson County Illinois
6. Are you married? a widow
7. Name and age of wife or husband: 1st husband Louis Gillis, divorced about 10 years ago  
2nd husband John Hanner - died  
3rd husband Will B. Bramwell - died
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Louis Gillis, a Delaware, Hanner and Bramwell white.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Thomas Anthony Gillis	16 yrs past	April 29 <sup>th</sup> 1891
(2)	Viola Hanner	9 yrs	July 30 1898
(3)	Lee Hanner	2 yrs	Aug 3 - 1905
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not enrolled

## REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Alice Bramwell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

John R. Ramsey  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires  
November 12, 1908.



# AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me George H. Ramsey and Reuben L. Partridge who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Oliver Francis Brumwell who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 19 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August, 1907.

John R. Ramsey  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov 12 - 1910, 190.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. ....

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Oliver Francis Brumwell

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

No. 36847.

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Ida May Gillis* and *X* children. Residence: *Tulsa, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Granddaughter of #18153 and claims through  
the same source.*

*Granddaughter -*

30847

No. *2*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

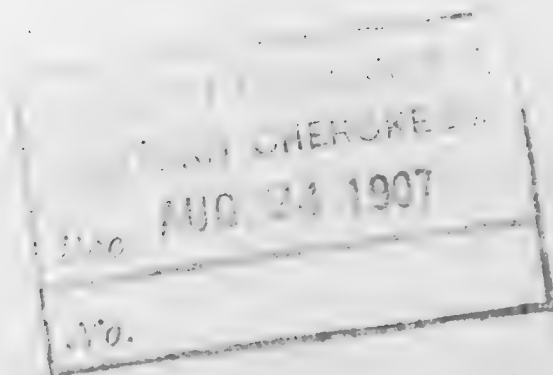
APPLICATION

OF

*Ida May Gilles*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Elliott Ramsey*

*Lula*

*L-89E*

*L. J.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ida May Gilles

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Tulsa, Ind

3. County: Western District

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 22 years Born January 5th - 1885

6. Where were you born? Tulsa, Indian Territory.

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Louis Gilles

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Anna Eliza Gilles

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Anna Eliza Shoemate.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Randolph County Illinois

Mother: Jackson County Illinois



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Randolph County Illinois

Mother: Jackson County Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: March 6th 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: none no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Tom Giller</u>	<u>April 29th 1891</u>	
	<u>Thomas Anthony Giller</u>		
	<u>Tulsa. I.T.</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Antoine Giller

Elizabeth Giller

Martha Giller

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Shoemate

Elizabeth Giller

18. Where were they born? Antoine Giller - Randolph Co., Ill. - John Shoemate  
Elizabeth Giller - East Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

on mother's side - Jackson Co., Ill. - father's side Randolph Co., Ill.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Mary Jane Shoemate</u>	<u>dead</u>
(2)	<u>Mariah Shoemate</u>	<u>dead</u>
(3)	<u>John E. Shoemate</u>	<u>dead</u>
(4)	<u>Charley Shoemate</u>	<u>dead</u>
(5)	<u>Nora Shoemate</u>	<u>dead</u>
(6)	<u>Anna Shoemate</u>	<u>dead</u>
	<u>Alice Francis Bramwell</u>	<u>Tulsa. I.T.</u>
	<u>Martin Shoemate</u>	<u>Tulsa. I.T.</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: can not give except great grand parents on mothers side who are William Reed and Margaret Reed (ne Fordiner)

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Ida May Gillis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August 1907.

John P. Ramsey  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

November, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

George H. Ramsey

and

Reuben L. Partridge

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Ida May Gillis

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

George H. Ramsey  
Reuben L. Partridge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 12 - 1910, 1908

John P. Ramsey  
Notary Public.

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No. 36848

Action: Rejected

Name Abigail Delk and X children.

Residence: Pall Mall, Tenn.

Reasons:

Cousin of # 21063 and claims thro. same source.

No. 36848-57.

Name .....

With No. 21063

Remarks:

Whigill Park

Johnston

James Cook

John "

James "

Richard "

Wm J "

Surgeon General

John Bush

Thomas "



C No. 35348

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

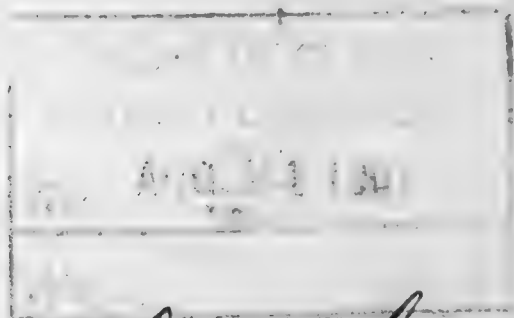
APPLICATION

OF

*Abigail, Velt*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Filed by  
J.R. Storie*

*Thorburn*

*36848*

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Martina Alexander	43	June 22 1864
	Janice Cobb	41	Oct. 30 1866
(2)	Joseph Delk	40	April 4 1868
	Mary Delk	38	April 4 1870
(3)	John Delk	37	April 4 1870
(4)	Norie Guffe	31	April 14 1876
(5)	George Delk	34	April 2 1873
(6)	David Delk	25	March 1 1880

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress County Tenn.

Mother: Fentress County "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1903

Mother: 1875

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: none

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Ann Cooper	Don't know	1876
(2)	William Cobb	Don't know	
(3)	John Cobb	Don't know	
(4)	Jane Talk	Don't know	
(5)	Elsada Aiken	Don't know	
(6)	Lila Burton	Don't know	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Wm. Cobb &amp; Sarah Cobb</u>	<u>Stephen</u>
<u>Indian Koker</u>	

18. Where were they born? Fentress County Tenn. & Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fentress County

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Deborah Evans	dead
(2)	John Cobb	"
(3)	Harrie Smith	"
(4)	Aulda Smith	"
(5)	Sam Cobb	"
(6)	Mary Mullins	Dunville Ky



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father Thomas Cobb. grand-  
parents, Jess Cobb. Indian names Kicker  
Descendants of Fannie Kicker Jess Cobbs Mother

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim through Jess Cobb, whose mother's maiden name  
was Fannie Kicker a Cherokee. I appoint J.R. Storie  
my Atty. of Northus Tenn. and agree to pay 10% Atty fee.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Attest J.R. Storie,

J. C. Eoan (Signature) Abagill Delb  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of July, 1907.  
M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. A. Foyge  
and David S. Evans, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Abagill Delb  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 60 years and  
24 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. A. Foyge  
David S. Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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J. R. STORIE, M. D.,  
Physician and Surgeon.  
Diseases of the Lungs and Heart a  
Specialty.

FORBUS, TENN.

Aug. 21 1907

Union Miller Esq. Special Commis.  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith 17 Applications  
for Eastern Cherokee Claimers.  
Please file and acknowledge receipt.  
In support of these claimers we would  
respectfully ask; That the evidence  
furnished and filed by John Paul  
of Jonesboro Ark. in support of  
his Claimer be made a part of  
our Applications; As we are all  
the same people. all descendants  
of the Cobbs and Kokers.  
Respt J. R. Storie  
Atty.

No. 36849

Action: Repeled

Name Joseph Delk

and 6 children.

Residence: Rhodes, Tenn.

Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 and claims this same name.

No. 1308-40

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Joseph Delk*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed by  
*J. R. Storie*

*Forbur*

*6787E* *Tenn.*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Mollie Delk	14	May 14 1893
(2)	Laney ..	12	April 12 1895
(3)	Willie ..	10	July 1 1897
(4)	Ellen ..	4	April 20 1903
(5)	Ida ..	3	May 10 1904
(6)	Sherman Delk	1	Oct. 13 1907

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress County Tenn.

Mother: 17

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Martha Alexander	1264	Monticello Ky.
	Mary Delk	1268	Star Point Tenn.
(2)	George Delk	1273	Pall Mall Tenn.
(3)	Karnie Cook	1266	Moodyville Tenn.
(4)	Marie Guffe	1276	Star Point Tenn.
(5)	David Delk	1278	Pall Mall "
(6)	John Delk	1270	" " "

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
David Delk	Thos. and Sallie Cobb.
	Jess and Bennett Cobb.
	Acey and Fannie Cobb.
	Indian Kokerian Eastern Cherokee

18. Where were they born? Tenn. and Alabama near Tusculu

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fentress County Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Deborah Evansick	
(2)	Fannie Smith	Mary Mullinix
(3)	Aulda Smith	Dunnell Ky.
(4)	John Cobb	
(5)	Jane Evans	
(6)	Sam Cobb	

Martha Side



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jerry and Abagail Delk;

Thos. and Sallie Cobb; Jess and Genette Cobb;

Acey and Fannie Cobb; Fannie Kokeran Eastern Cherokee

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through Jess Cobb and Fannie Cobb;  
Thomas and Sallie Cobb; Fannie Cobb was the wife  
of Acey and mother of Jess Cobb an Eastern Cherokee.  
I appoint J. R. Stoner Hobbs Secy. my Atty. pay 10% Com.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Joseph X Delk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug. 1907.

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910., 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Alfred Williams

and

W. D. Mullinix

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Joseph Delk

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 years and

35 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Alfred Williams

W. D. Mullinix

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910, 190

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36850

Action: Rejected

Name Nanie Cook and 4 children. Residence: Moodyville, Tenn.

Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 and claims the same source.  
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No. 38850

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Harrie Cook

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed by  
J. R. Storie

Shelby  
Tenn.

2589E

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Ellie Cook	19	1222
(2)	Hannie Cook	17	1280
(3)	Lerasia Cook	15	1282
(4)	Ballard Cook	13	1284
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress County Tenn

Mother: Fentress County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	RESIDENCE
(1)	Martha Alexander	1864	Monticello Ky.
	Joseph Delk	1867	Rhodes Tenn
	Mary Delk	1868	Star Point Tenn
(2)	John Delk	1870	Pall Mall Tenn.
	George Delk	1873	Pall Mall Tenn
(3)	Fannie Delk		
	Nannie Guffe	1876	Star Point Tenn.
(4)	David Delk	1877	Pall Mall Tenn
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

David Delk

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thomas Cobb & Jess Cobb

Indian names Kasher

18. Where were they born? Fentress County Tenn. Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fentress County Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Deborah Evans: Dead

(2) Fannie Smith "

(3) Aulda Smith "

(4) Sam Cobb "

(5) John Cobb "

(6) Mary Mullinix Danville Ky.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parent: Jerry and Abigail Dells  
grandparents Mother's side Thomas Cobb and Jera Cobb  
Indian names Koker

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through Jess Cobb whose mother's maiden name was Annie Koker a Cherokee. I appoint J.R. Storie of Joshua Tenn. my Atty. and agree to pay 10% Atty fee.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Attest J.R. Storie

Deborah Evans (Signature) Nannie Cook

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1907.

M. F. Bucke  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John P. Evans  
and David S. Evans, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nannie Cook  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 41 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John P. Evans  
David S. Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

M. F. Bucke  
Notary Public.

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No. 36451

Action: Rejected

Name John Vellk and 2 children. Residence: Pale Mall, Tenn.

Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 and claims this same source.

No. 26851

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John Little*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Filed by  
J. R. Storie.*

*Thomas*

*Wanna.*

1-589E

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Glenn Delk	4	1902
(2)	Dallas Delk	2	1905
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Henrietta County Tenn

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	RESIDENCE
(1)	Martha Delk	1864	Monticello Ky.
	Joseph Delk	1867	Rhodes La.
(2)	Mary Delk	1869	Star Point La.
(3)	George Delk	1873	Fall Mall La.
(4)	Kenneth Delk	1866	Moodyville La.
(5)	Norris Delk	1876	Star Point La.
(6)	David Delk	1879	Fall Mall La.

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

David Delk  
name

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thomas Cobb  
Jess Cobb  
Indian name to: Ky

18. Where were they born? Tenn. and Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Henrietta County Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Deborah Evans dead	Mary Mullinix
(2)	Fannie Smith	"
(3)	Hulda Smith	"
(4)	Jahn Cobb	"
(5)	Jane Evans	"
(6)	Lynn Cobb	"

Mother's Side



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jerry Haggill Delt

Thomas Cobb, Jess Cobb (Koker)  
Descendants of Aey and Jamie Cobb. Jamie Koker an  
Eastern Cherokee, wife of Aey and Mother of Jess Cobb.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through Jess Cobb whose Mother's maiden  
name was Jamie Koker a Cherokee. I appoint  
J.R. Storey of Hordus Tenn. My Atty. in this claim and  
agree to pay 10% Atty. fee.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J.R. Storey

M. F. Buck (Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910, 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

John P. Evans

and

David S. Evans

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John Delt

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John P. Evans

David S. Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910, 190

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36852

Action: Repeled

Name George Delk and 4 children. Residence: Pale Mall, Tenn.

Reasons:

consin of #21063 and claims thro. same source.

No. 31852

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*George Shelk.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-524

*Filed by  
J. R. Storie  
Goshua  
Tenn.*

36852

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: George Delk

Indian name: Ko-ker: an Eastern Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Ball Mall Tenn

3. County: Henry

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 34

Born 1873

6. Where were you born? Henry County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Martina Delk

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Obed Delk</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1892</u>
(2)	<u>Lee Delk</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1900</u>
(3)	<u>Omya Delk</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1903</u>
(4)	<u>Gabriel Delk</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1906</u>
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jerry Delk

Indian name: man

Mother—English name: Abigail Delk

Indian name: Ko-ker an Eastern Cherokee

Maiden name: Abigail Robb

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Tenn



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Henrius County - L

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.
(1)	Martha Alexander	1864 Monticello Ky
	Joseph Delk	1867 Rhoades L
(2)	Mary Delk	1869 Star Point L
(3)	John Delk	1870 Fall Mall L
(4)	Nami Cook	1866 Meadysville L
(5)	Mari Guffer	1876 Star Point L
(6)	David Delk	1879 Fall Mall L

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE  
David Delk

MOTHER'S SIDE  
Thomas Cobb  
Jess Cobb  
Indian name  
Ko. Ko

18. Where were they born? Henrius County L and Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Henrius L

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Deborah Evanschad	Mary Mathinix
(2)	Harrie Smith	Farmville Ky.
(3)	Hilda Smith	"
(4)	John Cobb	"
(5)	Jane Evans	"
(6)	Sam Cobb	"

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835 Parents Jerry P. Shayll Deltz  
Grandparents my mother's side Thomas Cobb  
and Jess Cobb Indian name: Karker

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim through Jess Cobb whose mother's maiden name  
was Fannie Karker Cherokee. I appoint J. R. Storie  
of Tusculum Tenn. my Atty. in this claim and agree to give  
10% as Atty. fee.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. O. Wright (Signature) George Deltz  
J. R. Storie  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of July, 1907.  
M. H. Bucke  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. O. Wright  
and Jan. R. Storie, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with George Deltz  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. O. Wright  
J. R. Storie  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

M. H. Bucke  
Notary Public.

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No. 36853

Action: Rejected.

Name David Welk and 3 children. Residence: Pall Mall, Tenn.

Reasons:

Cousin of # 21063 and claims this same source.

No. 30853

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

David, Delk.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed by  
J. R. Stone

Forluz

Deer.

36853



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

David Delt

Indian name:

Ko-ke-si-an Eastern Cherokee

2. Residence and post office:

Pall Mall Tenn

3. County:

Sevier

4. State:

Tenn

5. How old are you?

29

Born

1270 March 1

6. Where were you born?

Sevier County Tenn

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Dora Delt 23

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Denny Delt	6	Aug. 1901
(2)	Danald Delt	4	Aug. 1903
(3)	Dover Robb Delt	2	Nov. 1904
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Jerry Delt and Shagill Delt

Father—English name:

Jerry Delt

Indian name:

name

Mother—English name:

Shagill Delt

Indian name:

Ko-ke-si-an Eastern Cherokee

Maiden name:

Shagill Robb

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Sevier County Tenn

Mother:

Sevier County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

*Shenandoah County, Va.*

Mother:

*Shenandoah County, Va.*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

*Living*

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *no*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Martha Alexander</i>	<i>1864</i>	<i>Monticello Ky.</i>
	<i>Fannie Renshaw</i>	<i>1866</i>	<i>Oct 30. Monticello Ky.</i>
(2)	<i>Joseph Delk</i>	<i>1867</i>	<i>April 4. Rockwell Va.</i>
	<i>Mary Delk</i>	<i>1868</i>	<i>April 11. Star Point Va.</i>
(3)	<i>Dr. C. G. Guffer</i>	<i>1870</i>	<i>April 11. Star Point Va.</i>
	<i>George Delk</i>	<i>1873</i>	<i>April 2. Fall Mall Va.</i>
(4)	<i>John Delk</i>	<i>1879</i>	<i>Oct 30. Fall Mall Va.</i>
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

*David Delk*

MOTHER'S SIDE.

*Thomas Cobb*

*Jess Cobb*

*Indian name: Hoker*

18. Where were they born?

*Shenandoah County, Va. on mother's side*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*Shenandoah Co., Va.*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

*Walter Renshaw*

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jerry and Abigail Delb  
Thomas and Jess Cobb Indians  
name Karker and Mathes Delb

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim through Jess Cobb whose mothers maiden  
name was Fannie Karker a Cherokee. I appoint J. P.  
Storie of Hoshung Tenn. my Atty in this case. And  
give 10% as Atty fees.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. M. F. Buck  
attest } J. D. Frozge (Signature) David X Delb  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.  
M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. F. Frozge  
and J. P. Evans, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with David Delb  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. D. Frozge  
J. P. Evans  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190 .

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

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No. 36854

Action: Receded

Name Wm G. Volk and X children. Residence: Rugby, Tenn.

Reasons:

cousin of #21063 and claims thro. same source.



No. 30451

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

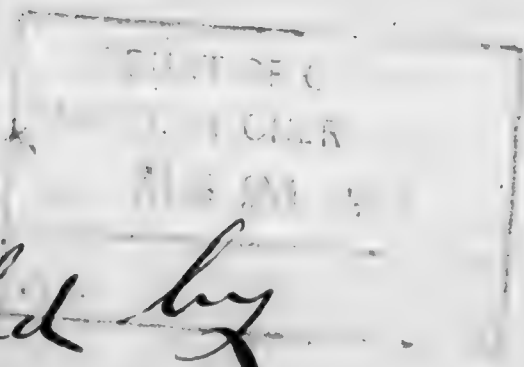
APPLICATION

OF

*William S. Telford*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*Filed by  
J. R. S. Torie,*

*Torie  
Torie  
4589E*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Shentress Campy Tenn.

Mother: Not borned

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1903

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Florance Evans	July 22, 1871	Pall Mall Tenn.
	Elizabeth Delk	Nov. 7, 1872	1882
(2)	Sarah Ramez	Nov. 11, 1874	1882
	John Delk	April 23, 1882	Forhusa Tenn.
(3)	Thomas Delk	Oct. 25, 1876	Rugby Tenn.
(4)	James L. Delk	Sept. 21, 1887	Don't know.
(5)	Henry H. Delk	July 24, 1888	Forhusa Tenn.
(6)	Fanny Upchurch	Dec. 31, 1891	Forhusa Tenn.

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John Delk

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thomas Cobb

Jess Cobb.

Indian name Kowker

18. Where were they born? Shentress Campy Tenn. & Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Shentress Campy Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Mary Ann Cooper	Dead 1876
(2)	A. McGill Delk	Pall Mall Tenn.
(3)	William Cobb	Dead
(4)	John Cobb	Russville Ky
(5)	Jane Delk (Mather)	Forhusa Tenn.
(6)	Elzada Aikens	Kelley Ky Tex



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jane Delk = Koker  
Thomas Cobb and Jess Cobb. = Koker =  
Fannie Koker a Cherokee was Jess Cobb mother

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through Jess Cobb from Fannie Koker  
a Cherokee. I appoint J.R. S. Lott of Georgia  
being my Atty. in this claim. and pay  
10% Atty. fees to him

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Attest:

Joe F. Lott (Signature) William Grada x Delk  
Notary Public mark  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.  
H. J. Halton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 1<sup>st</sup>, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Jerry Berry  
and Sam Berry, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with William G. Delk  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 27 years and  
27 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Joe F. Lott Jerry x Berry  
Notary Public mark  
Sam Berry Sam x Berry  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

My commission expires

April 1<sup>st</sup>, 1908. H. J. Halton  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



*Ermine*  
Name *Ermine Evans* and 6 children. Residence: *Forbes, Tenn.*  
Action: *Rejected*  
Reasons:

*Cousin of # 21063 and claims this same name.*

No. 36855

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Ermine Evans.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed by  
J. R. Storie.

Forbes

Tenn.

36855

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ermine Evans

Indian name: no Ko Kerian Eastern Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Hotchkiss

3. County: Shelby

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 30

Born 1869

6. Where were you born? Shelby County Tenn.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Tham Evans 46 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee Eastern

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Jerome Evans</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Dec. 2 1891</u>
(2)	<u>Ray Evans</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Aug. 20 1893</u>
(3)	<u>Daisy Evans</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Nov. 6 1896</u>
(4)	<u>Dewey Evans</u>	<u>8 2</u>	<u>Aug. 10 1898</u>
(5)	<u>Leidy Evans</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>
(6)	<u>Mary Evans</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1905</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Cooper

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Cooper

Indian name: no Ko Kerian Eastern Cherokee

Maiden name: Mary Ann Cobb

12. Where were they born?

Father: Scott

Mother: Shelby County Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Scott County Tenn

Mother: Fentress County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1902

Mother: 1876

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: none

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Cooper	1866	
(2)	Thomas Cooper	1867	
(3)	Scott Cooper	1868	
(4)	Ell Cooper	1874	
(5)	John Cooper (Twin Brother)	1876	
(6)	Grant Cooper	1876	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
William Cooper

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Thomas Cobb  
Jess Cobb  
Indian name: Ko Ker

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't know Father's side  
Mother's side in Fentress Co. Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Don't know Father's side

(1)	Mary Ann Cooper	Dead
(2)	Abygail Delk	Pall Mall Tenn
(3)	William Cobb	Dead
(4)	John Cobb	Russellville Ky
(5)	Jane Delk	Foshna Tenn.
(6)	Elsada Atkins	Kelley Ky Tex.

Mother's side



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: John Cooper - Mary Ann Cooper

Grand Parents Father side William Cooper

" " Mother side Thomas Cobb, Jess Cobb, Ho Key

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through Mother side, The Cobb's  
Thos. Cobb, my grandfather, and Jess Cobb my  
great grandfather whose mother was a Cherokee  
I appoint J.P. Evans of Georgia to my atty. and pay him 10% of the fee.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ermine Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of July 1907.

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John P. Evans

and David S. Evans, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ermine Evans

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John P. Evans  
David S. Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36856

Action: *Rejected*

Name *John Delk* and children. Residence: *Forbes, Tenn*

Reasons:

*cousin of #21063 and claims this same source.*

No. 31856

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

John, White

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed by

J. R. S. Torie.

Forbes

June

1906

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Proctor Herbert Delk	1 year	Aug. 13 1905
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress County - Tenn.

Mother: Not Borned

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Aug. 1903

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Florence Evans	July 22 1871	1882
	Elizabeth Delk	Nov. 7 1872	1892
(2)	Sarah P. Rains	Nov. 11 1874	1892
	Thomas Delk	Oct. 25 1876	
(3)	William S. Delk	Feb. 10 1880	
	James L. Delk	Sept. 21 1881	
(4)	Henry H. Delk	July 24 1885	
	Pammy McArthur	Dec. 31 1891	
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
John Delk

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Thomas Cobb  
Jess Cobb.  
Ko-ker

18. Where were they born? Thomas Cobb Fentress Co. Tenn. Others Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fentress Co. Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Mary Ann Scooper

Dead

(2) Abigail Delk

Pall Mall Tenn.

(3) William Cobb

Dead

(4) John Cobb

Russellville Ky.

(5) Jane Delk (Mother)

Hornum Tenn

(6) Elsada Atkins

Kellyok Tex.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents: Mathers James Delk  
Father: S. W. Delk Grand Parents: Mathers Side Thumma  
Cobb, Jess' Cobb. No her Fannie Koker  
wife of Jess and mother of Jess Cobb, was an Eastern Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through my Mother from Jess Cobb  
whose Mother's maiden name was Fannie Koker  
a Cherokee Indian I appoint J. R. Stoner of Georgia Tenn and  
my atty. agree to pay him 10% as my attorney

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) John Delk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1910, 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Barton  
and Thom Evans who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with John Delk  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John Barton  
Thom Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1910, 190

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 8 1909  
No. 36856

*notice*  
*6/10*



J. R. STORIE,  
Physician and Surgeon.

Forbus, Tenn.

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Simon Miller Esq.

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

As you have made your  
report to the Court of Claims,  
I suppose you would not object  
to letting me know what your  
report was in the claim of  
John Delk et al. No. 36256, Eastern  
Cherokee Indian, DC.

Yours truly,  
Dr. J. R. Storie.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JUN 25 1909

*No.* 3685-6

J. R. STORIE,  
Physician and Surgeon.

Forbus, Tenn.

June 21 1909

Hon. Union Miller,

Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

You on the 20 day of May reported to the Court of Claims that application No. 36256 should be rejected, and on June 10 the Court approved, ratified and confirmed said report.

On June 10 you gave notice to the applicants of your report and the action of said Court. But failed to give or show cause or upon what grounds you and said Court reject said claim.

Will you please advise?

Respt. J. R. Storie

Atty for Claimant

No. 36256

No. 36857

Action: Replied.

Name Thos. W. Elk and X children. Residence: Rugby, Tenn.

Reasons:

Cousin of #21063 and claims this same source.

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No. 131957

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas Delk*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed by  
*J. R. Storie.*

*Foster*

*Tenn.*

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	none		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Hentress County Tenn

Mother: Not borned

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Aug. 1803

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN	DEAD
(1)	Florence Evans	July 20 1871	Pall Mall Tenn.
	Alisabeth Delt	Nov. 7 1872	1882
(2)	Sarah Rains	Nov. 11 1874	1890
	William G. Delt	Feb. 10 1880	Rugby Tenn.
(3)	James L. Delt	Sept. 21 1887	Dont know
(4)	Henry H. Delt	July 24 1889	Forsburg Tenn.
(5)	Pamcy Upchurch	Dec. 31 1891	Forsburg Tenn.
(6)	John Delt	April 3 1892	Forsburg "

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John Delt  
none

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thomas Cobb  
Jess Cobb  
Irishman name No rec.

18. Where were they born? Hentress Co. Tenn. and Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hentress County Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Mary Ann Leeper	Dead 1876
(2)	Allygail Delt	Pall Mall Tenn
(3)	William Cobb	Dead
(4)	John Cobb	Russville Ky.
(5)	Jane Delt (Mother)	Forsburg Tenn.
(6)	Elsada Aiken	Kellys Fork Tex.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jane Delt = Thomas Cobb  
and Jess Cobb = (Indian name Koker)

Claim through mother's side the Cobb's Aey & Annie Cobb  
Annie was an Eastern Cherokee; Annie Koker  
REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Jess Cobb Mather was a Cherokee and her name  
was Annie Koker. I appoint J. R. Storrie of  
Tennessee my Atty in this claim. I agree  
to pay him 10% Atty fee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Attest:

Joe Fletcher (Signature) Thomas X Delt  
Porter Garrison Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.  
H. J. Halton  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 1<sup>st</sup>, 1901.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Jerry Berry  
and Annie Berry, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Thomas Delt  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 31 years and  
31 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Joe Fletcher Jerry X Berry  
Porter Garrison Annie X Berry  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

April 1<sup>st</sup>, 1901. H. J. Halton  
Notary Public.

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No. 36858.

Action: Reject

Name J. D. Parker for 5 minor children. Residence: Shawnee, Okla.

Reasons:

By the case



No. 36858  
Name Jeff D Parker  
With No. 36858  
Remarks:

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No. 36858

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Jefferson D. Parker.*  
*for minor children.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Rec. All.
No.

36858

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Julius Vernon Parker	20	1887
(2)	Horace Jefferson Parker	18	1889
(3)	Annie May Parker	13	1893
(4)	Gertie Parker	10	1896
(5)	Grace Parker	8	1899
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Cherokee Co. N.C.

Mother:

Cherokee Co. N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

March 19. 1905

Mother:

Aug - 7<sup>th</sup> 1897.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	W.B. Parker	Dec. 8. 1845	
	Louisa M. Arwood	Dec. 25 1847	
(2)	Sophia Elliott	Oct. 28 1850	
	Eugenia V. Brew	Dec. 19, 1853-	1905
(3)	Joseph V. Parker	Aug. 31. 1856	
	Edwin A. Parker	Feb'y 1 <sup>st</sup> 1859	
(4)	Mary E. Welch	June 19. 1865	
	Jonathan C. Parker	Nov. 6. 1867	
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Jonathan Parker  
Leona Parker

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Joseph Vannoy  
Elizabeth Vannoy

18. Where were they born? Think they were born in North Carolina or in S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Cherokee Co. N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John A. Parker	Died at Atlanta Ga
(2)	Clerenda Adams	" Hiwassee Ga
(3)	Louisa Welch	" Grove S.C.
(4)	James Parker	Grove S.C.
(5)	Joseph Parker	" Grove S.C.
(6)	W. A. Parker	" " "
	Annie Adams	Died in N.C.
	Betsy Ann Parker	" " "

(All children of Leona Parker)



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Willis Parker, Son of Lena Parker, Daughter of Annie Blyth or Annie Barnes, who was a half blood Cherokee Indian.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

This is made by Jefferson D. Parker for his minor children Julius V. Parker, Horace J. Parker, Annie May Parker, Bertie Parker and Gracie Parker. If this is not proper form please blanks more suitable.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Jefferson D. Parker.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug. 3<sup>rd</sup>

1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Henry J. Moyle

and

J. B. Ellis

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Jefferson D. Parker

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 years and

three years, respectively, and know them to be the identical person they represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Henry J. Moyle

J. B. Ellis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Aug. 3<sup>rd</sup>

1908.

J. D. Parker

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36859

Action: *Accepted*

Name *Fallie Satterfield* and *no* children. Residence: *Funnilly - Tenn.*

Reasons: *Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. Applicant claims thru her father, and he was a slave -*

#36859

Misc. Test. P. 611

No. 36859

Name Pollie Satterfield

With No.

Remarks:

# 36861, 36864,

grouped together

had an call.

No. 20050

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Pollio Satterfield*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*H. E. Richardson*  
*Atty*

*Sickman*  
*Tennessee*

36859



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: "

Indian name: "

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Sam Satterfield	42	Oct. 17, 1865
(2)	Matilda Perkins	39	March 20, 1868
(3)	Howard Satterfield	37	Aug 31, 1869
(4)	Anna Satterfield	34	March 26, 1872
(5)	Charles Satterfield	24	March 26, 1883
(6)	Dorah Buckner	22	July 2, 1885
	Mary Alford	30	July 9, 1877

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

Bart. Satterfield 19 April 22 1898

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Hickman Co. Tenn.

Mother:

Hickman Co. Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

1874 July

Mother:

Unknown

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lucinda Walker	March 1, 1868	Living
	Mumfley		
(2)	Mary Dequary	April 17, 1865	"
	Mumfley		
(3)	Minerva Brown	Unknown	"
	Goodrich Tenn.		
(4)	Charley Brown	"	"
	Neobann Tenn.		
(5)	Sam Brown	"	"
	West Tenn.		
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Unknown

Unknown

"

Ritter Tally

"

"

"

"

18. Where were they born?

Unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Hickman Co. Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Arion Brown	
(2)	Lucinda Brown	
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grand Mother and My Father were Eastern Cherokee Indians

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Pollie Satterfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Sept 1907.

J. M. Talley

Notary Public.

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 1, 1910

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Allen Estes

and

Thomas Sarkis

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Pollie Satterfield

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 50 years and 55 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Allen Estes

Allen Estes

Tom

Sarkis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Sept, 1907.

My commission expires

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 1, 1910

J. M. Talley

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES

Rec. MAR 2 1908

No. 36859

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*M. H. Meeks*  
*Attorney at Law*  
*Nashville, Tenn.*

Feb. 27th, 1908.

Special Commission of the Court of Claims,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

I write to ask what has been done, if anything, by the Department with the claim of Pollie Satterfield, No. 36859. I also write for the purpose of ascertaining what is necessary to be done, if anything, by Pollie Satterfield, to make out, or establish her claim or put it in that condition which will enable her to realize upon it, or that it may be passed upon intelligently. Claimant has recently requested that I look after it for her and I am induced to write to you Mr. Miller, from a postal written her by you last year.

Trusting that I may hear from you soon, I am,

Yours respectfully,

*M. H. Meeks*

Appl. #36689

May 7, 1906.

Polly A. ...  
Annally, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Eastern Cherokee tribe, of the state where you,  
your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the  
Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you,  
your parents, and grandparents considered as white people,  
Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and  
they have resided?

Was your father through whom you claim not en-  
rolled in 1881, and where was he or she residing in  
1881-82, if living at that time? Where were your grand-  
parents on the side through which you claim residing in  
1884-85?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state  
whether slaves of Indians or of the people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CEB/ALB

No. 36859

Misc.

Polly Satterfield, after being first duly sworn,  
deposes and says:

I am 58 years of age; was born in Humphries  
County, Tenn.; have lived in Tennessee all my life.  
I claim Cherokee Indian blood through my father.  
I was owned by Lawson H. Munnelly. I never received any  
Indian money from the government and have never tried  
before to get any. I do not know if my father ever  
received any Indian money. My father lived with white  
people and was considered a slave. I do not know if  
I ever heard of Hester.

Polly Satterfield  
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SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Centerville,  
Tenn., this twenty-sixth day of June, 1908.

*HK*  
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Assistant to Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
AUG 7 1908  
No. 36859

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Annex, Tenn.  
July, 31, 1908.

The Honorable Governor,  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Sir:-

This is to recall  
to your mind a conversa-  
tion, or rather a meeting by  
appointment, with an old  
colored woman in the cit-  
y town of Centerville, the  
26th of June. This, you may  
possibly remember, was re-  
gard to a claim I had  
in a Cherokee Tribe, and

which has never yet been settled. It has been proven that my father was half Indian and I have all the necessary proof to my right of the claim and only remains that some action on "Uncle Sam's" part be taken to greatly relieve and benefit a poor old colored woman who is greatly in need of this help.

On last month you told me that I would hear further from this soon but

being so anxious regarding  
it I can't refrain from re-  
minding you that up to this  
time I have never heard a  
word.

Please take some action  
on this and receive the life  
long blessings of your  
Humble servant,  
Polly Patterson.



COURT OF COMMONS  
LATENT DEPARTMENT  
NO. 112

36859

*M. H. Meeks*  
*Attorney at Law*  
*Nashville, Tenn.*

Nov. 7, 1908.

Mr. Guion Miller, Special Com.,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

I write to enquire for status of claim of Pattie Satterfield, Nunnely, Tenn., based upon application No. 36859.

I understand there was proof taken in the case at Centreville, Tenn., June 22, last.

Please let me know if the proof already taken is sufficient to establish said claim, and if so, the amount of it, and when, or approximately when, can claimant expect payment.

Very respectfully,

*M. H. Meeks*

Appl. No. 3885.

November 18, 1908.

M. H. Leake,

Nashville,

Tennessee.

Sir:

Your letter of November 7, 1908, making inquiry relative to the application of Battle Batterfield, of Nashville, Tennessee, is at hand.

In reply you are advised that I will be unable to advise you of the action taken in this case until my final report is made to the Court.

We are making every effort to secure a completion of the roll by next May so that I may be able to make my report to the Court before its adjournment. The Court will then, no doubt, allow a reasonable time for the filing of exceptions. Until the roll has been finally approved by the Court no distribution will be made.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W.C.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUN 23 1909  
No. 34857



Kennett, Tenn June 21' 1909  
Mr. Simon Baker

Dear Sir I write you at the request  
of my daughter in regard to her  
claim for bounty on in Southern Tenn  
No 36859 To inform you what party  
she can make as to father for bounty  
I am now 87 years old & became  
acquainted with Allen in the year  
1860 in Centerville Henderson County  
Tenn we were then small boys &  
continued around as with some of  
the other friends in my time and  
you know how my father & mother  
he was regarded by the people in  
1862 with a lot of soldiers passed  
through Centerville from down South

going west I think they were  
Muscogees but am not positive.  
They recognized Aaron the father  
of Beth Satterfield the daughter of  
a Indian. Aaron was then a  
slave and belonged to Dr. Samuel  
Johnson. He told me that he  
was a slave of Aaron from his  
father's father. I think their mother came  
from North Carolina. But am not  
positive. I am of opinion that he  
was a slave and in Tennessee for  
a long time. I think there  
is about the same number of  
them here as for people living  
in country. I am sure there are  
as well as I am sure there are  
clear than I can get acquainted  
with them about the same time.

It is about 20 years since I  
was in the city of New York  
at this time I would wonder  
if I could find some one or two  
of the same name. My father  
had not then he was over with  
the Indians. But I hope I have  
not lost the trail yet.  
If this proof will satisfy you  
I will send you the same.  
Very respectfully  
E. H. B. B. B.

From New York I have  
any one of the same name  
I never know what his father  
was named.

Vernon Dunn

June 25 1908

This is to certify  
that I was acquainted with  
one Aaron Broome (Colored)  
played with him when we  
were boys together.

I saw the Indians when they  
came through by our place  
& they claimed him to be an  
Indian & wanted to take him  
with them. I knew Aaron  
Broome all his life

J. H. Shipp



No. 36860

Action: Rejected

Name: Wash Larkins and 6 children.

Residence: Murrelly, Tenn.

Reasons:

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Wash. Lorkus*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*H. C. Richardson  
att  
Dickman  
Turner*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Wash. Larkins  
English name: ''  
Indian name: ''  
2. Residence and post office: Mrs. Milley & Munnally  
3. County: Dickman  
4. State: Tenn.  
5. How old are you? 54 Born April 16, 1852  
6. Where were you born? Dickman Co. Tenn.  
7. Are you married? I have been married dead.  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mahilda Larkins  
Cherokee  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Amner Larkins</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>1887</u>
(2)	<u>Walter Larkins</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Aug 28 1891</u>
(3)	<u>Mary Larkins</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>March 10 1893</u>
(4)	<u>Delice Larkins</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>April 21 1895</u>
(5)	<u>Comer Larkins</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>July 4 1898</u>
(6)	<u>Siggil Larkins</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>July 4 1898</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Larkins  
Indian name: Ain Larkins  
Mother—English name: Ain Larkins  
Indian name: Ain Larkins  
Maiden name: Ain Larkins

12. Where were they born?

Father: Putnam Co. Tenn.  
Mother: Robertson Co. Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Thomas Farkins Munkurion Seving Dickson Tenn.		
(2)	James Farkins Cheyatta Tenn.	11	11
(3)	John Farkins Okla.	11	11
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Abe. Ross	Munkurion
Winnie Ross	11
11	11
11	11

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John Farkins	dead
(2)	Ann Farkins	11
(3)	Bob. Ford	Charlotte Tenn.
(4)	Thomas Ford	Quincy Ind.
(5)	Pete Hightower	Dickson Tenn.
(6)	Susan Collier	Cumb. Furnace Tenn.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grand Mother  
Uwini Ross was an Eastern  
Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Washington Jenkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

J. M. Talley

Notary Public.

My commission expires

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 1, 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. R. Heard

and

Bettie Heard

who being duly sworn on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Washington Jenkins

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and

years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. R. Heard

Bettie Heard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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J. M. Talley

Notary Public.

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No. 36861  
Name *Mary Demmerby* and 2 children. Residence: *Kennelly-Tenn.*  
Reasons:

*Sister of 36859, claims thru same source.*

No. 30801

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Deener*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*H. C. Richardson*  
att'y

*Dickson*  
*Tennessee*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Amer Wells	26	August 25 1881
(2)	Jesse Brown	18	February 9 1889
(3)	Lizzie Dennyberry	4	July 14 1903
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Hickman Co. Tenn.

Mother:

Hickman Co. Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

1875

Mother:

March 1881

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

Wauhatchie

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Maurice Broom	Wauhatchie	Tenn.
(2)	Frederick Broom	"	"
(3)	Charles Broom	"	"
(4)	Sam Broom	"	"
(5)	Melinda Walker	"	"
(6)	Pollie Datterfield	"	"

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Wauhatchie	Wauhatchie
"	Richard Hassell
"	Melinda Hassell

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

Clayton Broom dead

Harriet Broom "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grandfather

and my Father Orson Brown  
was a Cherokee Indian

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. Richardson

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 1, 1910

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J. M. Talley Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

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Personally appeared before me Allen Estes

and Thomas Gaskins who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

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who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

40 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Allen Estes

Allen Estes  
Tom Gaskins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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No. 36862.

Action: Refect-

Name Vilot, Samuel and 2 children.

Residence: Dickerson, Tenn.

Reasons: unsteady in conduct she is in with her son.

#36862

misc. Test. P. 493.

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Field No. 36862

Name Violet Tidwell

With No.

Remarks:

Not an cell.



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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Walter Tidwell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*H.C. Richardson  
att'y*

*Dickson  
Tennessee*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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1. State full name—

*Nilat Tidwell*

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

*Banquo*

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

*Dickson*

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

*84*

Born

*Oct 27 1823*

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

*Greene Smith Co. Tenn.*

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

*Have been my husband dead*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

*Robt. Tidwell would be 91*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

*None*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Marshall Tidwell</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>April 13 1848</i>
(2)	<i>Miles Tidwell</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>July 12 1853</i>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

*George Lipscomb*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Sallie Lipscomb*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Sallie Porter*

12. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

*Greene Smith Co. Tenn.*

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

*Do*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Unknown

Mother: Smith

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Unknown

Mother: Unknown

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mosha G. Arnet</u>	<u>Unknown</u>	<u>Unknown</u>
	<u>Unknown</u>		
(2)	<u>Che Porter</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1908</u>
	<u>dead</u>		
(3)	<u>Simon D. Arnet</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>
	<u>dead</u>		
(4)	<u>Pete Porter</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>
	<u>Galator</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Unknown</u>	<u>Unknown</u>
<u>Unknown</u>	<u>Junie Porter</u>
<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>
<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>

18. Where were they born? Va

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Va if living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) George Sipkcaub dead

(2) Harriet Sipkcaub 11

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My mother Francis  
Sehksame was an Eastern  
Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Orilot Tidwell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August 1907.

J. M. Talley Notary Public.

My commission expires

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Signatures of Witnesses.

Allen Estes

W. H. Hester

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J. M. Talley

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HENRY C. RICHARDSON,  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW  
CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BUILDING  
DICKSON, TENNESSEE.

Dickson, Tenn. August 22 1907

Please file

Yours Truly  
H. C. Richardson

Received of H. C. Richardson  
\$100.00  
August 22, 1907

Appl. #36862

July 7, 1933.

Wahkiakum County,  
Wash. State.

Sir:

Relative to your application for consideration  
in the Western Cherokee Roll, has a slave mother you,  
your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the  
Cherokee tribe. If so, at the place and where. Were you,  
your parents, and grandparents ever listed as white people,  
Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and  
they have resided?

Was the parent through whom you claim not en-  
rolled in 1901, and where was he or she residing in  
1901-1905? If living at that time? Where were your grand-  
parents on the side through which you claim residing in  
1901-1905?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state  
whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHE/ALS

36862

Misc.

Vilot Tidwell, after being first duly sworn,  
deposes and says:

I am 85 years of age; have never received any  
Indian money from the government. I claim my Indian blood  
through my mother. My mother was broughtt from Virginia  
by her owner, Tom Porter. I was born in Smith Co. I have  
never made application before for any Indian money. I was owned  
by the same people as my mother.

Vilot Tidwell  
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SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Dickson, Tenn.,  
this twenty-fifth day of June, 1908.

JK  
-----  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

No. 96863

Action: Rejected

Name: Allen Ester and 1 children. Residence: Jackson, Tenn

Reasons:

Applicant was a slave.

#36863



No. 36863

*Reg.*

Name *Allen Estes*

With No. ....

Remarks:

*App. File*

*Rejected 1*

*Same*

No. 10803

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Allen Estes*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
MAY 11 1907

*H. C. Dickman*  
*Atty*

*Dickman*  
*Tenn.*

5089E

**SIR:**

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name— Allen Estes

English name:                     

Indian name: .....

2. Residence and post office: 1111 1st St. N. W.

3. County: Dickson

4. State: California

5. How old are you? 25 Born Oct 10 1988

6. Where were you born? Richmond, Va.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Cherrie 42

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Choctaw

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: .....

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	R.B. Estes	29	July 12, 1878
(2)	Sam Estes	27	July 26, 1879
(3)	Egar Estes	24	July 24, 1883
(4)	Ira Estes	22	March 15, 1885
(5)	Earley Estes	17	Sept. 15, 1886
(6)			

II. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Robert Estes

Indian name: st 1 0 0 1

Mother—English name: Succisa Eristes

Indian name: Pranav

Maiden name: Shirley Ann Moore

12. Where were they born?

Father: George W. B. Brown

Mother: James C. [unclear]

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Hickman Co. Lewis

Mother: Heckman Co. Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1891

Mother: 10 1/2 June 26

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Missouri

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME.

**BORN.**

**DIED.**

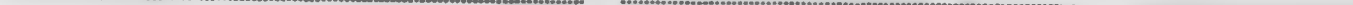
(I) .....

**v(2)** .....

(3) .....

(4) .....

(5) .....

(6) 

**17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:**

## FATHER'S SIDE.

## MOTHER'S SIDE.

FATHER'S SIDE.

Mrs. Wm. Brown  
Celia Estes

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Albert M. Minkley  
Mary A. Minkley

18. Where were they born? North Wales, Llanu

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Richmond

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Robert Estes	Dead
(2)	Lucius Estes	11
(3)	Roderick Estes	11
(4)	Nathan Estes	FF
(5)	Wm. Estes	11
(6)	Jeff. Estes	11



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grand Mother  
Mary Ann Mmully was a Cherokee  
Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

These parties were all  
slaves

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Allen Estes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August 1907.

John Talley

Notary Public.

My commission expires

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 1, 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Violet Tridwell  
and Pollie Satterfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Allen Estes  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 58 years and  
55 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Malinda Walker

Violet Tridwell

Malinda Walker

Pollie Satterfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 1, 1910

John Talley

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

HENRY C. RICHARDSON,  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW  
CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BUILDING  
DICKSON, TENNESSEE.

Dickson, Tenn. *Augt 22* 190

Sir

Please file  
Yours Truly  
H.C. Richardson

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No. 36864  
Name Mahinda Walker and no children. Residence: Stunmelley - Tenn  
Action: Rejected

Reasons:

Sister of 36859, Claims three same source.

No. 36864

Name *Marina*

With No. 36859

Remarks:





20864

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Melinda Walker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*H. C. Richardson*  
*att'y*

*Sickman*  
*Tennessee*

3689E

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Matiuda Walker  
English name: 11  
Indian name: 11  
2. Residence and post office: Mmmmlley  
3. County: Hickman  
4. State: Tennessee  
5. How old are you? 29 Born March 1878  
6. Where were you born? Hickman Co. Tenn.  
7. Are you married? Yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mass Walker  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>William Walker</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>Oct. 27 1885</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Arnon Broom  
Indian name:   
Mother—English name: Harritt Broom  
Indian name:   
Maiden name: Harritt Ship

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hickman Co. Tenn.  
Mother: Hickman Co. Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Hickman Co. Tenn.

Mother:

Hickman Co. Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

July 1875

Mother:

~~April 1881~~ 1881

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Murray Broom Unknown	Living	
	Goodrich Tenn.		
(2)	Charles Broom	"	"
	Newbarn Tenn		
(3)	Sam Broom	"	"
	West Tenn		
(4)	Mary Dequander	April 17 1865	"
	Ashtown Tenn		
(5)	Fallie Dattisfield	1850	"
	Murphy Tenn.		
(6)	Leudora Broom Unknown	"	"
	Primm Springs Tenn.		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Unknown  
Unknown

Richard Hassell  
Melinda Hassell

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Hickman Co. Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

Alton Broom dead

(2)

Hassitt Broom "

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Muskogean

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grandfather

and my Father Abram Brown  
were Cherokee Indians

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Melinda Walker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 1, 1910  
My commission expires

J. M. Allen Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Allen Estes  
and Thomas Perkins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Melinda Walker  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 39 years and  
39 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Allen Estes

Allen Estes

Tom Perkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 1, 1910

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J. M. Allen Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Betha Godbehere No. 36865  
Name ~~Betha Godbehere~~ and X children. Action: Rejected.  
Residence: Murlow, Okla.

Reasons:

Co. Keeling # 30858.

No. 36865-

Name *Birtha Godbehere*

With No. 30928

Remarks:

30929

No. 33865

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

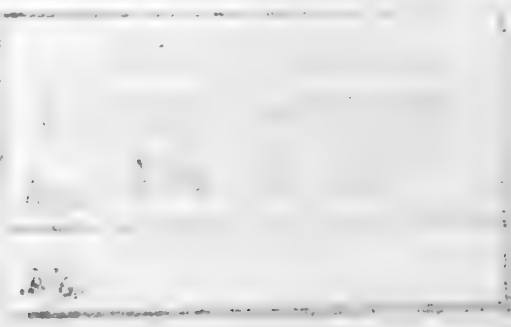
**OF**

**Bi tha Godbeheare, nee Cody**

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONA WA IND. TER.



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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

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SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: **Bitha Godbehears, nee Bitha Cody**

Indian name: **None**

2. Residence and post office: **Marlow, Indian Territory**

3. County: **Chickasaw Nation**

4. State: **Indian Territory**

5. How old are you? **14 years** Born **October 15, 1892**

6. Where were you born? **Chickasaw Nation, Indian Territory**

7. Are you married? **Yes**

8. Name and age of wife or husband **John Godbehears, age 20 years**

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? **None**

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<b>None</b>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: **Elkin Cody**

Indian name: **None**

Mother—English name: **Hettie Sullivan, nee Taylor**

Indian name: **None**

Maiden name: **Hettie Taylor**

12. Where were they born?

Father: **Do not know**

Mother: **Grayson County, Texas**

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Texas

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: February 1895

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Father never enrolled, Mother has applied to be enrolled with the Cherokee Indian Tribe before the U.S. Court of Claims

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lillie Shults, nee Cody</u> <u>Bearden, I.T.</u>	<u>Nov. 16, 1890</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Willie Sullivan</u> <u>Okemah, I.T.</u>	<u>March 14, 1898</u>	<u>Living</u>
(3)	<u>Oscar Sullivan</u> <u>Okemah, I.T.</u>	<u>July 3, 1897</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Maudie Sullivan</u> <u>Okemah, I.T.</u>	<u>January 5, 1899</u>	<u>Living</u>
(5)	<u>Tessie Sullivan</u> <u>Okemah, I.T.</u>	<u>October 27, 1902</u>	<u>Living</u>
(6)	<u>Charlie Sullivan</u> <u>Okemah, I.T.</u>	<u>September 9, 1905</u>	<u>Living</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Clifton Taylor

Sarah Taylor, nee Davis

No Indian Names

18. Where were they born? Grand father born in Missouri, Grand mother born in Grayson County, Texas

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grayson County, Texas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Margaret Berry, nee Taylor</u>	<u>Died</u>
	<u>William Kendrick Taylor</u>	<u>Died</u>
(2)	<u>Benjamin Harrison Taylor</u>	<u>Died</u>
	<u>Hettie Sullivan, nee Taylor</u>	<u>Okemah, I.T.</u>
(3)	<u>Louisa Reed, nee Taylor</u>	<u>Pontress, I.T.</u>
	<u>Joseph Taylor,</u>	<u>Doyle, I.T.</u>
(4)	<u>Martha Sullivan, nee Taylor</u>	<u>Okemah, I.T.</u>
(5)	<u>Milisa Clark, nee Taylor</u>	<u>Bearden, I.T.</u>
	<u>Mollie Shults, nee Taylor</u>	<u>Bearden, I.T.</u>
(6)	<u>Minervia Mitchell, nee Taylor</u>	<u>Okemah, I.T.</u>
	<u>Laura Mitchell, nee Taylor</u>	<u>Do not know</u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Do not know names on father's side back of father, Elkin Cody; They had no Indian names. My grand parents names on mothers side of hose from which I claim Indian blood (Cherokee) were Sarah Taylor, nee Davis; Hettie Davis, nee Wallace; Wallace, nee Benton. Think Hettie Wallace was enrolled with the Cherokee Tribe of Indians in Alabama

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim Cherokee Indian blood through my mothers side of the house  
The names of some of my great great uncles who I think were enrolled with the Cherokee Indians in Alabama were Mac Wallace, John Wallace, Shelby Wallace, Kendrick Wallace, Sam Wallace

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Witness to Mark*  
*Geo. S. Putty*  
*Q. S. Putty*

(Signature)

*Bithax Goddhere nee Bithax Cody*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of August 1907.

*Geo. S. Putty*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

2/27/1910, 190...

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me T. H. Goddhere  
and S. E. Goddhere, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Bithax Goddhere nee Bithax Cody who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

*Geo. S. Putty*  
*Q. S. Putty*

Signatures of Witnesses.

*T. H. Goddhere*  
*S. E. Goddhere*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Aug 1907.

*Geo. S. Putty*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

2/27/1910, 190...

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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For Bitha Godbeheare, nee Cody

Marlow,

Ind. Ter.

Western Dist.

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FILED BY

**ANDERSON P. CAGLE,**

CLAIM AGENT,

**KONAWA, I. T.**

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## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Indian Territory

COUNTY OF Western District

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Bitha Godbeheare, nee Gody

for the county of Chickasaw Nation state of Indian Territory do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Marlow, Indian Territory

Geo. T. Putty  
CD Sizer  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Bitha Godbeheare nee Bitha Gody  
Mark Signature.

State of Ind. Ter County of Pickens Be it known on the 6 day of Aug 1907 personally appeared Bitha Godbeheare nee Bitha Gody, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid any attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires 27/20/1910 1907  
[L. S.]

Geo. T. Putty  
notary Public

And now to witness 20 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 20 day of August 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1909.

No. 36866

Action: Reject

Name Manura Sexton and 3 children.

Residence: Allen Texas

Reasons:

incisions were not parties to  
 treaties of 1835-36-46, were not  
 enrolled with Cherokees.

#36866

Miscel Test P. 2498,

*Clinton Field*  
No. 36866  
Name *Maunwa Septon*  
With No. *54*  
Remarks: *File*

*Not on roll.*

No. 30806

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Marietta Sexton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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FILED BY  
HON. CAGLE,  
CLINT,  
IND. TER.



90806



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Stickley Sexton	23	1884
(2)	Milton Sexton	21	1886
(3)	Maudie Sexton	17	1889
(4)	Clark Sexton	13	1893
(5)	Ray Sexton	9	1898
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lee Co Va

Mother: Lee Co Va

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: - - - - -

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: - - - - -

They never was enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Liz Beath Lee Co Va	1875	1905
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Beckie Gale

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Sylvia Mitchell

Geal Mitchell

Indian Sylvia Allen

18. Where were they born? - - - - -

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Lee Co Va.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Dex Varner	Dead 1894
(2)	Sam Varner	Dead 1883
(3)	Rance Varner	Chickasaw Nation
(4)	Bethie Moor	Lee Co Va.
(5)	Sarah Mitchell	Lee Co Va
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*I claim through my mother Sarah Mitchell and my Grand mother Sylvia Mitchell and her Father and mother John Varner, Jennie Allen*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Meara Sexton*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*G.E. Strother*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*June 1st*, 1909

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Giles McKinney* and *Jesse Atkinson*  
and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with *Meara Sexton*  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15* years and  
*16* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents  
*herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Giles McKinney*  
*Jesse Atkinson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *6* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*G.E. Strother*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*June 1st*, 1909

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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APPLICATION

Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Manerva Sexton*  
*Allen,*  
*Tex.*  
*Collins Co.*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF

Texas

COUNTY OF

Collin

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I

Marena Sexton

*of* for the county of Collin state of Texas do hereby

make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Allen Collin Co. Texas,

W. L. Green

Giles McKinnon

(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Marena Sexton

Signature.

State of Texas County of Collin Be it known on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907 personally appeared Marena Sexton, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 1st 1909

[L. S.]

G. E. Strother Notary Public  
Collin Co Texas

And now to witness 20 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 20 day of August 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1909.

G. E. Strother  
Notary Public

May 1, 1936

May 7, 1936.

Minerva Sexton,  
Allen, Texas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Tribe, please state whether you, your mother, or grandparents were enrolled with the Cherokee tribe. Also, state whether you, your mother, and grandparents were of white people, Indian or negroes in the community in which you and they have resided.

Also state the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1881, and where you were residing in 1881-85, if living at that time. Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim enrollment in 1881-85.

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CMB/ALS

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec.* MAY 15 1908

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec.* MAY 15 1908

*No.*



C1413

NAME: James H. Hays Ex-  
1813-1872

James H. Hays was born in  
the Cherokee tribe in  
Cherokee Co. Ga. in 1813  
and then moved to Tenn.  
Co. Tenn. and lived there  
until 1863 then moved to  
Tenn. Co. Va. lived there  
until death 1872 and  
my great mother was  
married through him  
my grandmother is  
the daughter of  
the Cherokee tribe in  
Tenn. Co. Va.

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Manorva Sexton being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 46 years of age, or thereabout. I claim my Indian descent through my mother and her mother. My father was a full blooded white man and my husband is a white man. My mother was born in Tennessee, in Hancock Co. She is still living in Lee Co., Va. and is about sixty years of age. She has not made application to share in this fund. Her mother was born in Cherokee Co., N.C. Her name was Sylvia Mitchell nee Allen. My grandmother died in 1898 and she was somewhere between 80 and 90 years of age. My mother nor her mother never lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe that I know of. Neither of them were ever on any Indian roll that I know of. My mother was recognized as a white woman and my grandmother was recognized as an Indian. My mother claimed to be 1/4 Cherokee. I did not make application to the Dawes Commission for enrollment. This is the only application that I have made.

*apparently white*

Manorva Sexton  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Mc Kinney, Tex. this 31st day of August 1908.

Asst to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

FDR

No. 36867

Action: *Reject*

Name *Lewis Wood* and *7* children. Residence: *Wanette, Okla.*

Reasons:

*It does not appear that ancestors were ever enrolled or were parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846. Ancestors did not reside in Cherokee domain. Applicant shows no real connection with Eastern Cherokees. He was not enrolled by Dawes Commission.*

#36867



*Field Office* 3  
No. 36867

Name *Lewis Wood*

With No. *Shower* ~~House~~

Remarks:

*that are calls.*

No. 36867

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

**OF**

*Lewis Wood*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**FILED BY**  
**ANDERSON P. CAGLE**  
CLAIM AGENT.  
**KONAWA IND. TER.**



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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lewis Wood

Indian name: Cockram and Haney

2. Residence and post office: Wanette

3. County: Pottawatomie

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 35 1/2 yrs Born Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> 1872.

6. Where were you born? State of Illinois

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Naoma Wood, age 34

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Claude Wood	17 years	Nov 3, 1890
(2)	Effie Wood	13 "	Dec 2, 1894
(3)	Elmer Wood	11 "	Aug 5 <sup>th</sup> 1896
(4)	Gerald Wood	9 "	March 11, 1898
(5)	Clifford Wood	7	Feb 8 1900
(6)	Willie Wood	4	May 3 1903
(7)	Everett Wood	11 mos	Oct 1906

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Martin Wood

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Lusie Wood

Indian name: Cockram & Haney

Maiden name: Lusie Cockram

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Tennessee

Mother: In State of Illinois

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Tennessee Born in 1840

Mother: In Illinois Born about 1852

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: about 1885

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mary Sneed</u> <u>Eastland Texas</u>	<u>1867</u>	
(2)	<u>Frank Wood</u> <u>Johnson Co. Texas</u>	<u>July 3 1869</u>	
(3)	<u>Lucie Wood</u>		<u>Aug 28 1906</u>
(4)	<u>William Wood</u>		<u>1897</u>
(5)	<u>Martha Sneed</u> <u>Hoyt I. T.</u>	<u>1885</u>	
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Frank Wood</u>	<u>Ezekiel Harey Indian</u>
<u>Grandmother Wood</u>	<u>Lusy Harey nee Cockram</u>
<u>nee Phillips</u>	<u>Harey &amp; Cockram Indian name</u>
<u>dont know given name</u>	<u>Grandmother born in Tenn</u>
18. Where were they born? <u>In Tenn</u>	<u>In North Carolina</u> <sup>I believe</sup>
19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? <u>In Illinois</u>	<u>In Illinois</u>

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Samuel Wood</u>	<u>Polly Ann Gregory</u>
(2)	<u>Marion Wood</u>	<u>Sarah Windle</u>
(3)	<u>Martin Wood</u>	<u>John Harey</u>
(4)		<u>Elizabeth Gregory</u>
(5)		<u>Albert Harey</u>
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents Martin Wood & Lucie Wood

nee Cockram. Cockram & Hanez Indian names. Grandparents  
on Father's side. Frank Wood don't know Grandmother's name  
but Wood, nee Phillips

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Grandparents on Mother's side. Ezekiel Hanez Indian  
Susy Hanez, nee Cockram. Hanez and Cockram both  
Indian names

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

My commission expires March 17th, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A M Archer  
and A E Archer, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Lewis Wood  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for one years and  
one years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires March 17th, 1908.

My commission expires

My commission expires, 1908.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION

Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Lewis Wood*

*Manette*

*Oklahoma*

*Pottawatomie County*

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FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE,

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA, I. T.

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## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Louisiana Territory

COUNTY OF Western Dist

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I

Lewis Wood

for the county of Pottawatomie state of Oklahoma do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Wauvette, Okla

A. M. Archer  
A. E. Archer  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Lewis Wood  
Signature.

State of Ind. Terr. County of Western. Be it known on the 20 day of Aug 1907 personally appeared Lewis Wood, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires March 17th, 1907

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_ 1907

[L. S.]

And now to witness 20 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 20 day of August 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1907

Appl. 1-1887

July 7, 1908.

Levie W. A.,  
Wanette, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Eastern Cherokee Roll, state where the line  
through whom you claim descent in 1804-18, as living  
at that time.

Where were your grandparents on the side through  
which you claim residing in 1804-18?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state  
whether slaves of Indians or white people.

If you were enrolled by the Lower Commission, state  
your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CEB/ALS



COURT OF CLAIMS  
 EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
 Rec. MAY 20 1908  
 No.

Received of the  
 Eastern Cherokee  
 Association  
 the sum of \$100.00  
 for the purpose of  
 purchasing land in  
 the State of Georgia  
 for the use of the  
 Eastern Cherokee  
 Association  
 May 20 1908

CHB/ALS.  
Appl. #36867

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

May 7, 1908.

Lewis Wood,  
Wanette, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, state where the parent through whom you claim resided in 1834-35, if living at that time. Ans. In the State of Tennessee, name Bill Haney Thomas Cockram, Grandparent was in the State of Maryland in 1834-35. & his wife's name where were your grandparents on the side through Annie Cockran. which you claim residing in 1834-35? Ans. Tennessee

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people. Ans. Were not

If you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, state your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed. Ans. I was not!

Very respectfully,

*Quinn Miller,*  
Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

*Respt  
Lewis Wood.*

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.      Aug. 25, 1908.**

Application No. 73867

Louis Wood,  
Winitto, Oklahoma.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that H. W. Ketron one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Shawnee, Oklahoma on Wednesday, September 9, 1908, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by making inquiry at the principal hotel.

■ If you are enrolled on the Final Rolls of Citizens of the Five Civilized Tribes, you should bring with you the number of your enrollment, and also the number of your Census Card.

■ Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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TO  
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No 36868

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Tempa V. Harrod* and *2* children. Residence: *Inola, Okla.*

Reasons: *Claims through the same source as 16205.*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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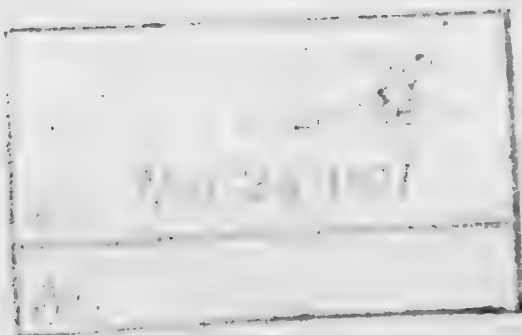
APPLICATION

OF

*Stephen V. Harrod*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Tempra V Harrod

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Insula

3. County: Rogers Co

4. State: O. K. La

5. How old are you? 24

Born July 4th 1883

6. Where were you born? Coyne Co Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: A S Harrod age 33

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Geneva Harrod</u>	<u>4 years</u>	<u>July 21 1903</u>
(2)	<u>Millie Harrod</u>	<u>17 months</u>	<u>Mar 1st 1906</u>
(3)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(4)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(5)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(6)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John H Graham

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Misouria Graham

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Misouria Harrison

12. Where were they born?

Father: Marshall Co Ala

Mother: Carroll Co Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Marshall Co Ala

Mother:

Barrell Co Arkansas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Living

Mother:

Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

Yes Cherokee on roll of  
Last Creek Strip lease money also Cherokee Strip payment roll

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Gideon Graham	Jan 21st 1867	
(2)	Gas M Graham	May 1869	
	Querna A Graham	1871	
(3)	Alvance P Graham	1873	
	Joe Ed Graham	1875	
(4)	Joe Willie Graham	1879	
	John F Graham		
(5)	Lee Graham	1886	
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

J. James Rawson  
Tempa Rawson

18. Where were they born?

McNary Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Cant tell Dont know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Joe Rawson	
(2)	Blender Rawson	
(3)	Melvin Rawson	
(4)	Chillem A Rawson	
(5)	Masanna Rawson	
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians:

yes Cherokee Last Cross  
Less Strip money Was Cherokee Strip payment Roll

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Great Grand Parents

Samuel B. Dawson

Peggy Dawson maiden Pollyan Rogers

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Tempy V. Harrod

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of aug, 1907.

Dennis Kuenis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 29, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. R. Mc Davis

and

Jess King

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Tempy V. Harrod

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and

1 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in above claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. R. Mc Davis

Jess King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 29, 1909.

Dennis Kuenis

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No 36869

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Robert Lee Graham* and *X* children. Residence: *Enola, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as 16205.*

36869



No. 30809

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION  
OF

*Robert Lee Graham*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Robert Lee Graham  
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Onala
3. County: Biggs Co
4. State: Okla
5. How old are you? 20 Born Sept 1896
6. Where were you born? Cozelle Co Texas
7. Are you married? No
8. Name and age of wife or husband:
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John A Graham  
Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Missouri Graham  
Indian name: None  
Maiden name: Missouri Lawson

12. Where were they born?
- Father: Marshall Co Ala
- Mother: Astanae

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Morshaw Co Ala  
Mother: Ashausen

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes Cherokee on roll Last Grass

Strip lease Money Also Cherokee Strip payment Roll

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lidion Graham	Jan 21 1867	
	James M "	May 1869	
(2)	Agnes A "	1878	
	Alvance P "	1873	
(3)	Joe Ed "	1875	
	Joe Willis "		
(4)	John F "	1879	
(5)	Tempa "	July 4 1883	
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Dawson  
Tempa Dawson

18. Where were they born? Grand father  
Maria W Lewis  
Grand mother  
Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Charles Dawson  
(2) Melvin "  
(3) William A "  
(4) Misouria "  
(5) \_\_\_\_\_  
(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes Cherokee Last Grass Creek

Strip Money Also Cherokee Strip Payment Roll  
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Samuel R. Hawson  
Polyhu Hawson ne Rogers

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Missouri

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907. Graham

Dennis Huening

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 29 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. R. Mc Davis

and

Jess King

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mossauria Graham

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and

4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in above claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. R. Mc Davis

Jess King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

June 29 1909. Dennis Huening

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No 36870

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Tempa V. Harrod* and *2* children.

Residence: *Inola, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Claims through same source as 16205*

36870

No. 36828-70-

Name.....

With No. 26059..

Remarks:

Junya W. Harwood,  
Robt. L. Graham  
General Harwood, etc.

30870

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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APPLICATION

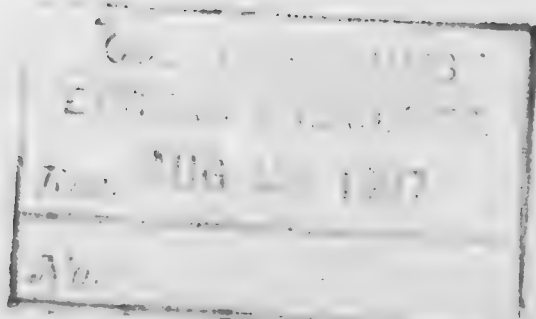
OF

*Minors*

*Quinn and Willie Harrod*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Samoa and Nellie H Harrod*

Indian name:

*None*

2. Residence and post office:

*2 Analea*

3. County:

*Rogers*

4. State:

*Oklahoma*

5. How old are you?

*Will be 17 months*  
*3 years* *Samoa* Born *1903 - 1906*

6. Where were you born?

*McLain Cherokee Nation*

7. Are you married?

*No* *Minors*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*A S Harrod*

Indian name:

*None*

Mother—English name:

*Sampa V Harrod*

Indian name:

*Ma. Name Sampa V Graham*

Maiden name:

*Sampa V Graham*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*San Antonio, Texas*

Mother:

*Orange, Texas*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

\_\_\_\_\_ *John H. Graham* \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ *Misourico Graham* \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

18. Where were they born?

*Grandfather* *Grandmother*  
*Marshall Ala* *Arkansas*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*Grandfather in Ala* *Grandmother Ark*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Great Great Grand Parents Samuel R Dawson  
Oregon Dawson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Temper V Harrod

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

Dennis Kuenig  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 29, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Mr. R Mc Davis

and

Jess King

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Temper V Harrod

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and

1 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in above claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. R. Mc Davis

Jess King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 29, 1909. Dennis Kuenig  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No 36871

Action: *Rejected*

Name *for Willie Neal* <sup>*Gov.*</sup> and *2* children.

Residence: *Inola, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as 16205.*

No. 36871-2-

Name.....

With No. 26059.

Remarks:

Richard Neal, et al.  
Missouri, Graham.



No. 310871

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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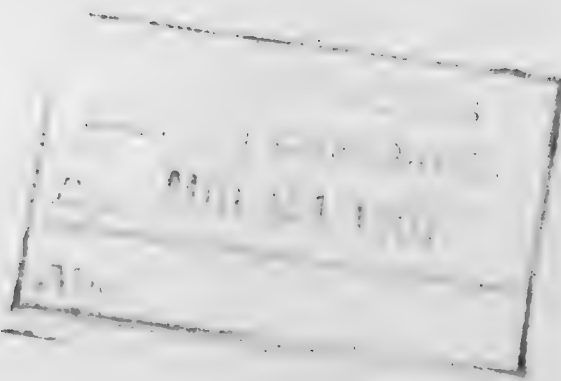
APPLICATION

OF *Minors*

*Richard and Ethel Neal*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36871

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: <sup>Choctaw</sup> *Yes* *Step Money Roll*

*Last Grand Step lease money Roll*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

*Victor Neal*

*Long Know*

MOTHER'S SIDE.

*J. M. Graham*

*Misouria Graham*

18. Where were they born? *Victor Neal Old Cherokee Nation in Ala*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? ~~in Ala~~

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) *Lucy L. Neal*

(2) *James Neal Jr*

(3) *Richard C "*

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Chief Neal  
John H. Graham Missionary Graham

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Joe Willie Neal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of aug, 1907.

Dennis Kuenig  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 29, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. R. McLeary

and Jess King, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Joe Willie Neal

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and

years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in above claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

W. R. McLeary

Jess King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 29, 1909 Dennis Kuenig  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36872

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Misowia Graham* and *X* children.

Residence: *Guola, Okla.*

Reasons: *Claims through the same source as 16205*

No. 36872

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

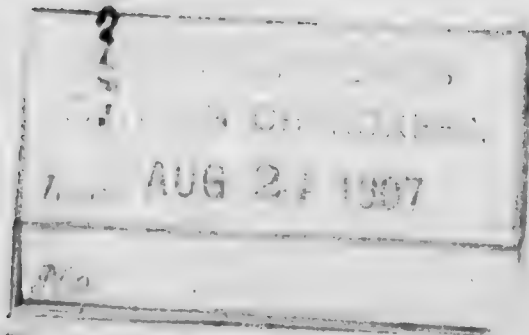
APPLICATION

OF

*Missouri Graham*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36872

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Missouri Graham  
Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Okla
3. County: Nowata
4. State: Okla
5. How old are you? 61 Born 1846
6. Where were you born? Cameled Arkansas
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: John H Graham
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Lidona Graham	Jan 21	1867
(2)	James M	11	1869
(3)	Lavenna	11	1871
(4)	Florance P	11	1873
(5)	Joe Ed	"	1873
(5)	John M	"	1879
(6)	George H	11	1883
	Robert Lee	"	1886

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Dawson  
Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Tempa Dawson  
Indian name: None  
Maiden name: Tempa Butler

12. Where were they born?

Father: Nowata Co Tenn  
Mother: Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Council Bluffs Ark

Mother: 11 11 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1894

Mother: 1895

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Yes <sup>Cherokee</sup> <sup>Step</sup> Gross Lease Money Roll

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Elender Lawson</u>		

(2)	<u>Melvin</u>	<u>11</u>	
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(3)	<u>William</u>	<u>11</u>	
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(4)			
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(5)			
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(6)			
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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Samuel B. Lawson</u>	<u>Pocyan Lawson</u>

Modern Name  
Pocyan Rogers

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Council Bluffs Arkansas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Joe Lawson</u>	
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(2)	<u>Robert</u>	<u>11</u>
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(3)	<u>Rial</u>	<u>11</u>
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(4)		
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(5)		
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(6)		
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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians:

*Yes Cherokee Last Grass  
Last Strip Race Cherokee Strip Payment Race*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of  
their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*Samuel B. Dawson  
Peggy Ann Dawson*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Missouri Graham*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*Dennis Kuenig*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*June 29*, 190*9*.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*W. R. McCarrie*

and

*Jess Kuenig*

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Missouri Graham*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *4* years and

*4* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

*herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *above* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*W. R. McCarrie*

*Jess Kuenig*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

*June 29*, 190*9*. *Dennis Kuenig*

Notary Public.

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No. 36873

Action: Repeited

Name Douglas Manuel and X children.

Residence: Greenville, Tenn.

Reasons:

1 Brother of 33048.

No. 36873-

Name Douglas M. Munnif

With No. 33048

Remarks:





please get me from my, T.  
cheat

please

Mary E. [unclear]

W. L. [unclear]

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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No. 30873

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

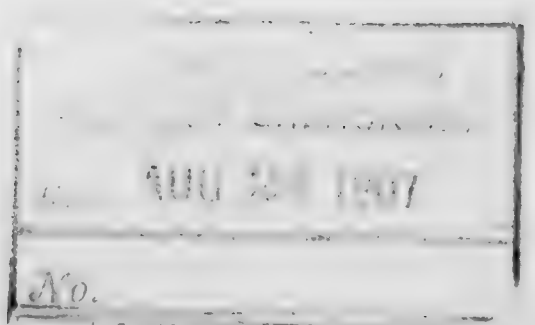
APPLICATION

OF

*Douglas Manuel*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



3673

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Douglas Manuel

Indian name: Douglas Manuel

2. Residence and post office: Chimneyville, Tenn.

3. County: Greene

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 27

Born 1880.

6. Where were you born? Greene County Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Minnie Manuel, 21 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: George Manuel

Indian name: George Manuel

Mother—English name: Mary Manuel

Indian name: Mary Manuel

Maiden name: Mary Bear

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: South Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Greene County Tenn.

Mother: Greene County Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>George Manuel</u>	<u>1869</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Dore Manuel</u>	<u>1885</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Alice Manuel</u>	<u>1867</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Pearl Manuel</u>	<u>187</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Martha Manuel</u>	<u>1889</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Providence Manuel</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
<u>Polly Manuel</u>	<u>"</u>
<u></u>	<u></u>
<u></u>	<u></u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Greene County Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Margaret Manuel</u>	<u></u>
(2)	<u></u>	<u></u>
(3)	<u></u>	<u></u>
(4)	<u></u>	<u></u>
(5)	<u></u>	<u></u>
(6)	<u></u>	<u></u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Fraser Macneil  
Polly Macneil, an Indian's wife

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Attest J. E. Hooker

(Signature)

Douglas Macneil  
man

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

J. E. Hooker

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Apr 7, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me N. J. Howard

and W. J. Bohannon, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

N. J. Howard

W. J. Bohannon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Apr 7, 1908.

J. E. Hooker

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 96874

Action: Dyed

Name

Lorah J. Newman and 1 children.

Residence:

Willis Plains Tenn.

Reasons:

Daughter of 96877

*Field*

*From the same*

No. 36874

Name Sarah J. Newman

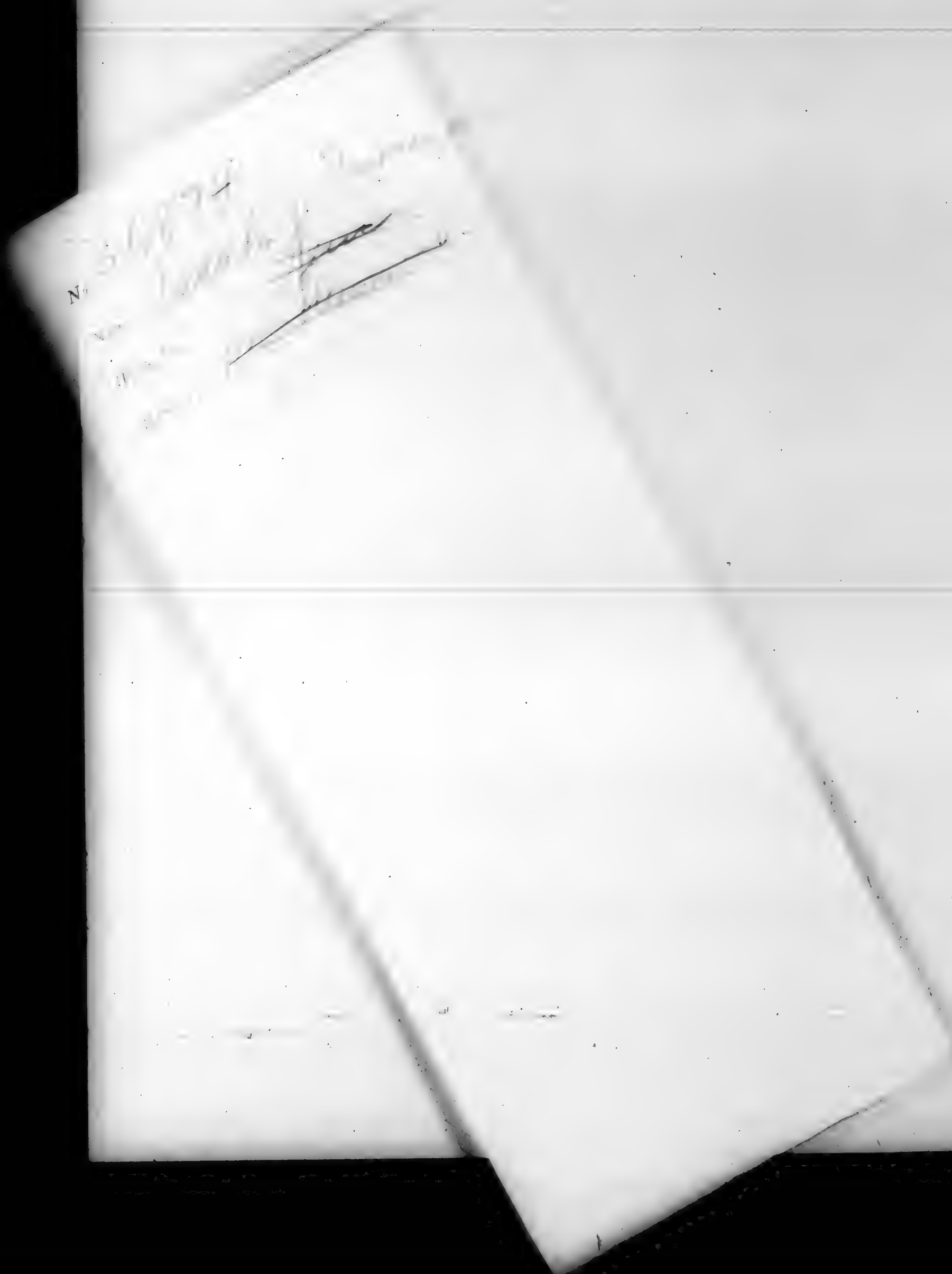
With No. ....

Remarks:

nos. 36875, 37308 9-10,  
36877,  
grouped together.

Not in rolls.

36877. Examined



2. 5/18/74  
L. J. [unclear]  
[unclear]  
[unclear]



No. 36874

Name *Sasale J. Naionian*

With No. *From*

Remarks: *W. H. H. Co.*

36877

20871

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Jane Newman*  
\* *& children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36874

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Sarah Jane Newman*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Tellico Plains*

3. County:

*Murray*

4. State:

*Tenn*

5. How old are you?

*40*

Born

*Oct 1-1867*

6. Where were you born?

*Ducktown Park Co Tenn*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*John Newman age 45*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) *Asker Newman* *Aug 1-1889*

(2) *Ida M. "* *Aug 14-1891*

(3) *Lethia A. "* *Oct 1-1893*

(4) *Floyd E. "* *Oct 17-1897*

(5) *Edward C. "* *Oct 17-1897*

(6) *Ellar "* *Feb 5-1900*

(7) *Carra "* *April 3-1905*

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Oliver Harris*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Sarah N. Harris*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Sarah N. Bahrto*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Bradley Co Tenn*

Mother:

*Cherokee Co N.C.*

*Sarah Newman April 3-1905*

8 Jesse Newman April 3-1905-



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Bradly C. Ginn

Mother: Cherokee C. M. G.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lethia Harris	1870	
(2)	Pally "	1872	
(3)	Ida "	1874	
(4)	Jesse "	1876	
	Mary "	1877	
(5)	Jim "	1882	
(6)	Medie "	1885-	
	Grace "	1888	
	Andrew "	1892	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Harris	Elisha Roberts
Minnie Harris	Lethia Roberts
	maiden name Lethia Standage

18. Where were they born? The Grandmother Standage in Cherokee Co. N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

N.C. Cherokee Co.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jim Roberts	
(2)	Ben Roberts	
(3)	Margrett "	
(4)	Lige "	
(5)	Ann "	
(6)	Andrew "	

all are now deceased

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: applicant is daughter

of Sarah N Harris, daughter Lethia Reberts  
maiden name Steindorff she was daughter Jesse Refur

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Claim through the Refurs who are  
enrolled

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Jane Newman  
(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

M. M. McDaniel  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. McLean  
and B. L. Harris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Sarah Jane Newman  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and  
12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. McLean

B. L. Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190

M. M. McDaniel  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc:

App. #36874

May 11, 1908.

Sarah J. Newman,  
Tellico Plains, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe? If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-5 if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHE/ALS

No. 96875

Action: *Accepted*

Name *Jesse Harris* and *no* children. Residence: *Tulles Plains Tenn*

Reasons:

*Son of* 96877



No. 36875

Name Jesse Harris

With No. ~~36784~~

Remarks: 36874

36875

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

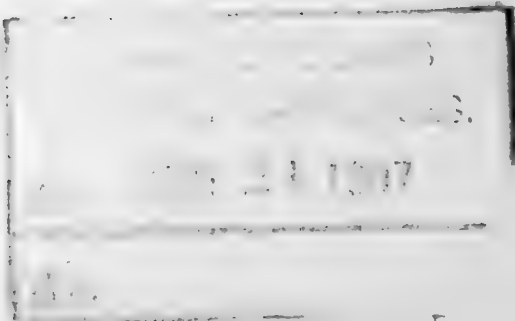
APPLICATION

OF

*Jesse Harris*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36875

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Jesse Harris*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Tillaco Plains*

3. County:

*Annua*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*31*

Born

*July 29 - 1876*

6. Where were you born?

*Maurice Co Tenn*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Casa Harris, age 27*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>no children</i>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Oliver Harris*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Sarah Harris*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Sarah N. Baker*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Bradley Co Tenn*

Mother:

*Cherokee Co N.C.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Bradley Co Tennessee

Mother: Cherokee Co N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

Sarah Jane Harris 1867 BORN. DIED.  
(1) Lithia Harris 1870

(2) Rally 1872

(3) Ida 1874

(4) Jesse 1877

(5) Mary 1882

(6) Jim 1885

(7) Medie 1888

(8) George 1892

(9) Andrew 1892

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Mellicum Harris Eliza Roberts

Mary Lithia Roberts

Mother's name Lithia Stauchgrise

18. Where were they born? Grand mother Stauchgrise in Cherokee Co, N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Cherokee Co N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Jim Roberts

(2) Ben Roberts

(3) Margaret

(4) Lige

(5) Ann

(6) Andrew

all the rest are dead



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: applicant is son of

Sarah N Harris maiden name Sarah N Roberts  
daughter of Lethice Roberts maiden name Standridge  
daughter of Sarah N Standridge maiden name Sarah N Rafus  
she was daughter of REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Claims through the Rafus  
who were enrolled

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. H. Melton (Signature) Jesse Harris  
Drew Harris  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Wm M. Daniel  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. Melton  
and Drew Harris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Jesse Harris  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and  
5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Melton  
Drew Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 1908. Wm M. Daniel  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36876

Action: Rejected

Name S. P. Cain and X children. Residence: Aug, Tenn

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled.  
Does not establish fact of descent from person  
who was a party to the treaty of 1835 and 1846.

#36876

No. 31876

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

S. P. Bain

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

36876

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Simon P. Bain*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*My*

3. County:

*Mauwrae*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*54*

Born

*Oct 11-1853*

6. Where were you born?

*Mauwrae Co Tenn*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Alice Bain age 34*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>no children under age</i>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Williamson Bain*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Janetta Bain*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Janetta Payne*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Mauwrae Co Tenn*

Mother:

*Cherokee Co N.C.*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Maurice & Jean

Mother:                     

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1892

Mother: 1882

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Jane Louis		
(2)	Martha "		
(3)	Sarah "		
(4)	John "		
(5)	Jae "		
(6)	Jim "		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Peter Louis	Jane Payne
Annie "	Payne

18. Where were they born? Do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Cherokee Co N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Green Payne	
(2)	Orie "	
(3)	Reda "	
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: applicant Wilkerson

Sam & Jennetta Bain maiden name Jennetta Payne  
daughter of Sam (Thomas) Payne son of  
C. C. Payne

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Claim through the Paynes who  
are enrolled

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

S. T. Ter Bain

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

M. M. Daniel

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me C. S. Jenkins

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Simon P. Bain

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and

\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. S. Jenkins

W. W. Williamson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

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M. M. Daniel

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36877

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Sarah S. Harris* and *2* children. Residence: *Macedonia, Tenn.*

Reasons:

#36877 { Applicant nor ancestors never paralled -  
Went not living within the Cherokee Domain  
in 1835-67 1846 as recognized members of the tribe -  
Applicant recognized as a white woman

Misc. Test. P. 582 -

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah N. Harris*  
+ 2 children

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Sarah M. Harris*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Maedonia*

3. County:

*McMinn*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*61*

Born

*July 10 - 1846*

6. Where were you born?

*Cherokee Co N.C.*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Elene Harris, age Mar 13 - 1846*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

*George Harris*

*Oct 9 - 1888*

(2)

*W. A. Harris*

*June 14 - 1892*

(3)

*all the rest are over 21 years of age*

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Elisha Roberts*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Lithia Roberts*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Lithia Standridge*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*England*

Mother:

*Cherokee Co N.C.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Churakee Co N.C.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1863

Mother: Died 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Noah Roberts</u> <u>Mary Roberts</u> <u>Mahiem Roberts</u>		<u>dead</u>
(2)	<u>Jahni</u> <u>Amirida Roberts</u>		<u>dead</u>
(3)	<u>Finn</u> <u>Cedertown Ala</u>		<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Ben Roberts</u> <u>Cedertown Ala</u>		<u>Living</u>
(5)	<u>George Roberts</u> <u>Margrett Roberts</u>		<u>Dead</u> <u>Living</u>
(6)	<u>Lige Roberts</u> <u>Ann Roberts</u> <u>Andrew Roberts</u>		<u>Living</u> <u>Living</u> <u>Living</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Lisha Roberts</u>	<u>Jahni Staudrige</u>
<u>Agathia Roberts</u>	<u>Sarah N. "</u>
	<u>maiden name</u>
	<u>Sarah N. Rafus</u>

18. Where were they born? Churakee Co N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Churakee Co N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Jessie Staudrige</u>	
(2)	<u>Lige Staudrige</u>	
(3)	<u>Wash</u>	
(4)	<u>Bale</u>	
(5)	<u>Jimie</u>	
(6)	<u>Rubeca</u>	
	<u>Pally</u>	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: applicant is daughter of Lisha Ralurts & Lethia Ralurts maiden name Lethia Standridge  
daughters of Sarah N. Standridge  
she was daughter Sarah N. Ralurs daughter of Jesse Ralurs

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Claim through the Ralurs who are enrolled and many have drew land in the I. T.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. H. Meltan  
B. L. Harris (Signature) Sarah N. Harris  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Wm. M. Daniel  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. Meltan  
and B. L. Harris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah N. Harris  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and 9 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Meltan  
B. L. Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

1908

Wm. M. Daniel  
Notary Public.

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#36877 - #36874

Miscel.

Sarah N. Harris being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 62 years of age and live in Mc Minn Co., Tenn. I claim my Indian descent through my mother and my grandmother. All the rest of my ancestors were white as far as I know. My mother was born and raised in Cherokee Co., N.C. Her mother was born and raised there as far as I know. Her name was Sarah Ann Raper. Sarah Raper had the following brothers ~~xxxxxxxxxx~~ were Jess Raper, Jake Raper and Washington Raper. Don't know the names of her sisters. Sarah Raper died the second year of the War. My mother has talked about the Indians a good deal but I don't know whether she ever lived with the Indians or not. My grandmother lived amongst the Indians and I believe she was recognized as a member of the tribe. Don't know when my mother left N. C. but it was a short time before the War, about ten years. She then went to Polk Co., Tenn. My mother was never on any roll that I know of, nor was my grandmother. I have heard my grandmother's brothers and sisters say that they were on some rolls. I heard Jess Raper say that. Never heard any of the others. I understood that Jess Raper was enrolled in Cherokee Co., N. C. but I don't know when. I am recognized as a white woman with Indian blood. In Monroe Co., Tenn. I lived amongst the Indians but never lived with them as a member of the tribe. This is the only application I ever made for benefits by reason of my Indian blood. My husband is white.

Sarah N. Harris  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Athens, Tenn. this 26th day of June 1908.

F. D. R.  
Ass't to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

Applicant shows very little Indian blood, if any.



H.C.B.

No. 36878

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Elias C. Loveall, and 2 children.* Residence: *Duenweg, Missouri*

Reasons:

*Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. Does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee domain in 1835-6 and 1846, as recognized members of the tribe. Ancestors moved to Ark. in 1830 + were living there in 1835-6. See letter filed herein, Marked "Ex. A."*

*(Adj. by H.C. Black)*

#36878

No. 36878

Reg.

Name Eliza C. Lowell

With No.

Remarks:

No. 36879,

grouped herewith.

Not on rolls.

Repeated

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claim is made resided in  
dist in 34 5 as if  
Charles at all must have  
been 1000 years.

No 96878

Rejected

Applicant or ancestor  
were never enrolled -

Does not appear that they  
were living within  
the limits of the Cherokee  
Domain in 1835-64/1846

as recognized members  
of the tribe. Ancestor

moved to Ark in 1830  
and were living

there in 1835-6 -

See letter filed herein  
marked Ex A

No. 30878

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

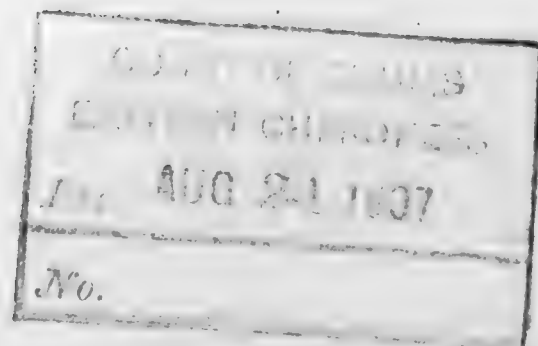
APPLICATION

OF

*Eliza Columbia Loveall*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36878



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Lula Hail Loveall	22	Oct 27 1884
(2)	Berulah May Loveall	14	Feb 7 1893
(3)	Lanson Laren Loveall	12	July 20 1895
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Barry Lee Mo

Mother: Barry Lee Mo

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: year of 1869

Mother: March 1893

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Elizabeth Rachel Lovell	May 25 1868	Mar 1 1892
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Abraham Lovell  
+  
unknown

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Phillip Robinson  
+  
Phillip Robinson  
Kathy Robinson

18. Where were they born? unknown } North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? unknown } Charlotte Ark

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Bessie Ann Lovell	Edward Robinson
(2)	Harve Lovell	Poley Robinson
(3)	John Lovell	Louis Robinson
(4)		Rachel Robinson
(5)		Elizabeth Robinson
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother melvina  
Lorell melvina Robinson Grand  
father Philip Robinson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elias Columbia Lovell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug. 1907.

H. W. Sterling  
Notary Public.

My commission expires My Comm., 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S. F. McClain  
and Jettie Chatham, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Elias Columbia Lovell  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 17 years and  
18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. F. McClain  
Jettie Chatham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

H. W. Sterling  
Notary Public.

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Appl. #36878

May 11, 1908.

Elina C. Loveall,  
Duenwig, Mo.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1854-55, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1854-55?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

C.B./ALS



COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. <i>Rec.</i> MAY 22 1908
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about one month old  
my father, mother and  
brother moved to  
Mo. we were all then  
very happy

Wm. B. Smith

No. 36879

Action: *Reject.*

Name. *Lula D. Keltzel* and *—* children. Residence: *Duenweg, Missouri.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of #36878, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*



No. 36879

Name Lila D. Hertz

With No. 36878

Remarks:

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

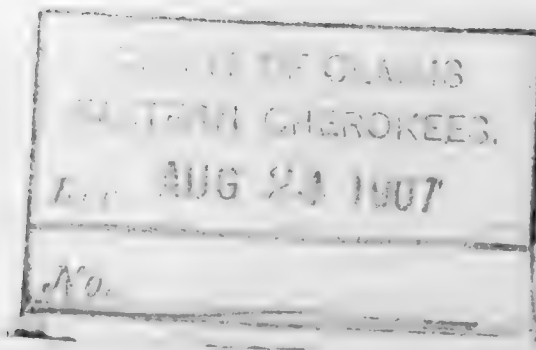
APPLICATION

OF

*L. Paula Nail Helzel*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36879

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lula Dail Heltzel

Indian name: Lula Dail Robinson

2. Residence and post office: Quenwig

3. County: Jasper

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 22 Born Oct 27 1884

6. Where were you born? Carlisle Arkansas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William Heltzel

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? nan

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Elias Columbia Loveall

Indian name: Elias Columbia Robinson

Mother—English name: Mary Ellen Loveall

Indian name: +

Maiden name: Mary Ellen Brummett

12. Where were they born?

Father: Carlisle Arkansas

Mother: Barton Co Mo

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: march 23 1899

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Bentley May Lovell	Feb 7 1893	
	Unenwig me		
(2)	Samson Loren Lovell		
	Unenwig mo		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Jerie mirah Lovell	Samson Brummett
+	+
Melvina Lovell	Margret Brummett
Melvina Robinson	+

18. Where were they born? Illinois + Indian } Indian + Ohio

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Barrytown } unknown

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Elizabeth R. Lovell	Jeff Brummett
(2)	Elias Columbia Lovell	Baues Brummett
(3)		Mary Ellen Brummett
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father Elias Columbia  
Laveall Elias Columbia Robinson  
Grandmother Melvina Laveall Melvina  
Robinson great Grand Philip Robinson

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lola Dail Heltzel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug. 1907.

H.W. Sterling

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S. F. Mc Clain  
and Jettie Chatham, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Lola Dail Heltzel  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and  
18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

S. F. Mc Clain

Jettie Chatham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

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H.W. Sterling

Notary Public.

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Robinson: Great Grand Philip Robinson

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father Elias Columbia  
Laveall Elias Columbia Robinson  
Grandmother Melvina Laveall Melvina

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Lula Dail Heltzel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug. 1907.

H.W. Sterling

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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and

Jettie Chatham

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Lula Dail Heltzel

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and

18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

S. F. Mc Clain

Jettie Chatham

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
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Dunsmuir Mo aug 26 1907  
Mrs Guion Miller

Dear sir

I will ask you to pen this  
letter to my application  
it was sent to you two or  
three days ago and my children  
names and ages was not put on  
my application so I will give  
there names and ages and the  
dates they was born

Porter Lee Heltzel	age 4	Born April 20 1903
Pluma Mary Heltzel	3	Sept 28 1904
Mary Josephine Heltzel		Jan 27 1907

Yours Truly

Lula Paul Heltzel

No. 36880.

Action: reject

Name: Mary E. Titaw and children. Residence: Jasper mo.

Reasons:

Sister of 16072.

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No. 36880.

Name Mary G. Watson

With No. 16073.

Remarks:

No. 38880

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

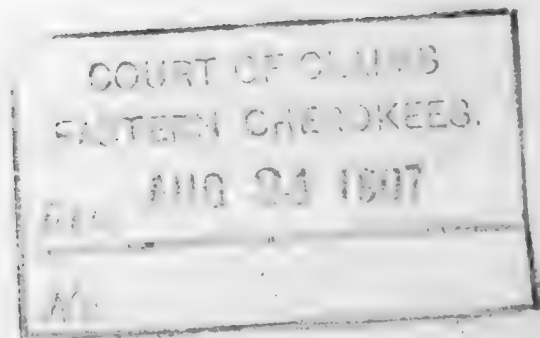
APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Soliad or Talu*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Mary Goliad Vataw*

Indian name: *Mary Goliad Walla*

2. Residence and post office: *Coatsville R.F.D. #1 Box 4137*

3. County: *usper*

4. State: *Missouri*

5. How old are you? *34* Born *Dec 27 1872*

6. Where were you born? *McDonald Co Mo*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Marrian Alanga Vataw ag 134*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *no*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Effie May Vataw</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>June 19 1892</i>
(2)	<i>Leora Christman Vataw</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>May 14 1894</i>
(3)	<i>Leora Alpha Vataw</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>Feb 20 1897</i>
(4)	<i>Marrian Lee Vataw</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>Aug 22 1899</i>
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *James Munsa Miller*

Indian name: *+*

Mother—English name: *Mary Miller*

Indian name: *Mary Walla*

Maiden name: *Mary Christman*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Pulaski Co Mo*

Mother: *Pulaski Co Mo*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pulaski Co Mo

Mother: Pulaski Co Mo

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 8 1873

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Christman Hettar miller	Jan 30 1853	

Texas

(2)	Laphranica Elizabeth miller	Mar 15 1857	Aug 1905
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(3)	Laura Ellen miller	Jan 1861	April 1898
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(4)	James Anna miller	Sept 20 1862	
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Southwest City Mo

(5)	Albert Ralph miller	Mar 10 1868	
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Southwest City Mo

(6)	James William miller	Sept 1 1870	
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Grave J. J. Miller

Mar 11 1875

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Sam miller</u>	<u>Steve Christman</u>
<u>+</u>	<u>Steve Walla</u>
<u>Jennie miller</u>	<u>Polley Christman</u>
<u>+</u>	<u>+</u>

18. Where were they born? Pentiveland middle Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Pulaski Co Mo

both sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Dave miller</u>	<u>J. Ke Christman</u>
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(2)	<u>Rebela miller</u>	<u>J. M Christman</u>
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(3)	<u>J. Ke miller</u>	<u>Jennie Christman</u>
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(4)	<u>Sam miller</u>	<u>Mary Christman</u>
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(5)		<u>Martha Christman</u>
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(6)		<u>Charlotte Christman</u>
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Ellen Christman

Mandy Christman

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother Mary Miller

Mary Walla Grand father Steve Christmas

Steve Walla Great Grand mother

Judy Walla

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Witness to mark

J. A. Graham

(Signature)

Mary Soliad Votaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Aug 1907.

J. C. Harrison

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept. 27, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Mary E. Bryant

and

Emma Cooper

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mary Soliad Votaw

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 8 years and

2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself

to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Mary E. Bryant

Emma Cooper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept. 27, 1907

J. C. Harrison

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No. 36881

Action: Reject

Name Joseph L. Lawrence and 2 children.

Residence: Drumming rd

Reasons:

Son of 30123,

No. 36881

Name Joseph L. Brown

With No. 32900

Remarks:

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Joseph Larkin Canene*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
AUG 21 1907

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Arville Cavenes	7	June 4 1900
(2)	Virgil Cavenes	1	Sept 25 1905
(3)	Laral Cavenes	1	July 25 1906
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Stane Co. MO

Mother: Stane Co. MO

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Mar 22 1903

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sarah Emiline Cavener	May 13 1877	

(2)	Nancy Emiline Cavener	May 15 1877	
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(3)	James David Cavener	Nov 11 1879	
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(4)	Mandy Albertine	July 15 1884	
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(5)	Leah Ellen Cavener	Feb 17 1889	
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(6)	Hattie Ethel Cavener	April 22 1892	
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	Clair Labern Cavener	May 14 1896	
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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John Cavener

+

Mandy Cavener

+

MOTHER'S SIDE.

David Jaylas

David Jaylas

Elizabeth Jaylas

+

18. Where were they born? middle Tennessee Both sides

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both sides Stane Co  
MO

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) John Jaylas

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

John Jaylas  
John Richard Jaylas  
Percy Jaylas  
Lisha Jaylas  
Samuel Jaylas

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mathes milisa

Cavener milisa Jayas - Grand father  
David Jayas. Great Grand father  
William Jayas

REMARKS.  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Joseph Harkin Cavener

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

H.W. Sterling  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

My Commission

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

G. Pendleton

and

E.A. Gonce

, who being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Joseph Harkin Cavener

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 16 years and

6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. Pendleton

E.A. Gonce

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

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H.W. Sterling  
Notary Public.

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No. 36882.

Action:.....Rejected.....

Name Joseph Franklin Good and 2 children. Residence:.....Joplin, Mo......

Reasons:

Brother of #35119 and claims through the same source.



No. 56882-4

Name

With No.

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Remarks:

Jos. F. Good.  
Geo. W. "  
Walter R. "

Brother of # 35119

bro No. 35882

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

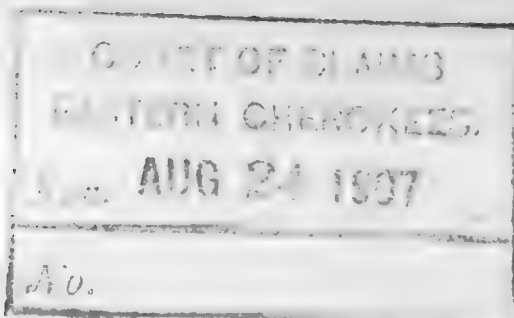
APPLICATION •

OF

*Joseph Franklin Good*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Walter R. Goad		May 31 1880
(2)	Georgewashington Goad		April 4 1883
(3)	Chelarsule Goad		Sept 4 1887
(4)	Daisy Goad		Oct 1 1896
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: year of 1889

Mother: mar 1870

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Hanna Eliza Good	Dec 31 1847	
	Wm. Wm. no		
(2)	Sarah Good	Nov 15 1836	
(3)	Thomas Good	mar 1837	
	Landen D. Good	year of 1853	
(4)	Myrie Good	Date unknown	
	John R. Good	Nov 18 1851	Wm. Wm. no
(5)	Samuel C. Good	alt 1839	
	Martha Good	Date unknown	
(6)	William Good	Date unknown	
	Mary Good	Date unknown	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Neddie Good	Samuel Haney
Neddie Good	+
Mary Good	Martha Haney
+	+

18. Where were they born? Middle Tennessee Both sides

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina  
Both sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Carly Good	Samuel Haney
(2)	Bessie Good	Charles Haney
(3)	William Good	Martha Haney
(4)		Mary Haney
(5)		Hanna Haney
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father William Good - Grand father Meddie Good

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness to mark his mark  
Joseph Franklin Good  
(Signature) mark  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Cron  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Louie F. Peters  
and Ed. Portley who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Joseph Franklin Good  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and  
7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Louie F. Peters  
Ed. Portley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911. Byron H. Cron  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. OCT 23 1908

No. 35-121

Quenwig Mo.,  
Oct., 25. 1908.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I will write to you in regard to  
my baby. He is seven (7) months old. We were  
informed by our lawyer, that other babies claimers  
had been put in that were no older than ours.  
If our babies claim can be put in, please  
write us in regard to it.

Yours Truly

Mr. James E. White  
Claim No. 35121.

No. 35121

Oct. 29th, 1908.

Mr. James E. White,  
Duenwig, Mo.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of Oct. 25th, you are advised that no child is entitled to enrollment to participate in the Eastern Cherokee fund, born after May 28th, 1906.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

MSM.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. NOV 1 1909 No.
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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. MAR 14 1910 No.
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Poplin Gasper, C. C. 1111  
March 9, 1912

To the Court of Indian Claims  
Washington, D. C.  
Dear Sir: I have the honor to  
acknowledge the receipt of your  
letter of the 19th inst. and in  
reply to inform you that the  
same has been forwarded to the  
proper authorities for their  
consideration.

Very respectfully,  
18. 11. 11

Sir

Very truly yours,  
J. H. [Signature]



No. 36883

Action: Rejected.

Name George Washington Good and X children. Residence: Joplin, Mo.

Reasons:

Nephew of #35119 and claims through the same source.

36883

*Report of # 35119*

*18983*

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

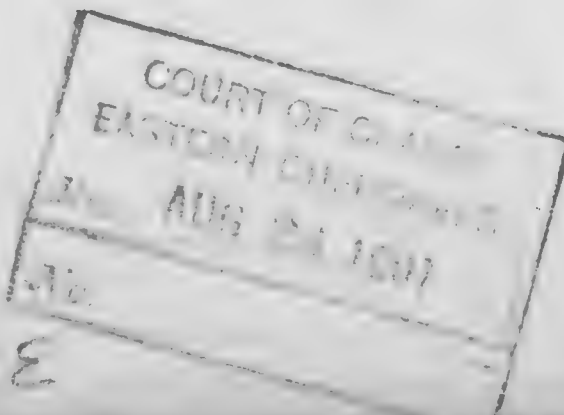
APPLICATION

OF

*George Washington Good*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: George Washington Good

Indian name: George Washington Good

2. Residence and post office: Jasper

3. County: Jasper

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 24 Born April 4 1883

6. Where were you born? Jasper Mo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lily Good age 24

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Joseph Franklin Good

Indian name: Joseph Franklin Good

Mother—English name: Judie Good

Indian name: Judie

Maiden name: Judie Cole League

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: Jefferson Mo

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Walter R Good	May 31 1880	
	Josephine mo		
(2)	Clarence Good	Sept 4 1887	
	Josephine mo		
(3)	Daisy Good	Oct 1 1896	
	Josephine mo		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Good	Robert League
William Good	+
Mary Good	Sarah Jane League
	+

18. Where were they born? Middle Tennessee Both sides

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Jefferson Co mo  
North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Flenna Good	Bill League
(2)	John Good	Joe League
(3)	Thames Good	Frank League
(4)	Myrie Good	Julie League
(5)	Lanier Good	Mary League
(6)	Samuel Good	Henry League
	John Good	
	Martha Good	
	William Good	
	Mary Good	
	Joseph Good	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: MO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father Joseph  
Franklin Good Grand father William  
Good Great Grand father Reddie Good

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

George Washington Good

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Henson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me C. C. Allen

and W. G. Spyer, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with George Washington Good

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and

6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. C. Allen  
W. G. Spyer

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May 26, 1908.

Byron H. Henson  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 30 1907
N. 36883

send  
recept.  
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Joplin mo Sept 2. 1907  
Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims  
Dear Sir

my application in the  
Eastern Cherokee was sent  
in with my father & Brothers  
and they have Relieved there  
Cards and I have not will  
you please look it up and  
send my Card to me  
yours Truly

George Washington  
Good

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAR 9 1909  
No. 36833

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35119



Chesie McIntosh  
Supt. Creek Schools

McIntosh & Reubelt  
Attorneys-at-Law

Checotah, I. T., March 6 1909.

Special Commissioners of the Court of Claims,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir,

What disposition have you  
made of applications Nos. 36146, and  
36833, of the Eastern Cherokee fund  
arising from the judgement of the Court  
of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee.

Respectfully

Willie Scott.

No. 36884.

Action: Reject.

Name Walter Retlaw Good and 1 children. Residence: Joplin, Mo.

Reasons:

Nephew of #35119 and claims through the same source.

36884

*Rephased of #35119.*

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

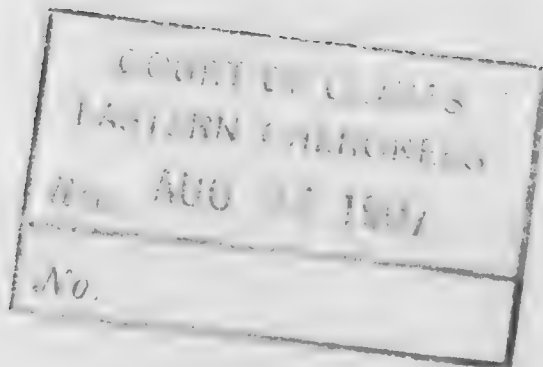
APPLICATION

OF

*Walter R. T. Law Good*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Walter Retlaw Good*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Joplin*

3. County:

*Jasper*

4. State:

*Missouri*

5. How old are you?

Born

*May 31 1880*

6. Where were you born?

*Joplin Jasper, Mo*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Wm Good 21 yrs*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*no*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Esshin Good</i>		<i>Sept 28 1906</i>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Joseph of Franklin Good*

Indian name:

*Joseph Franklin Good*

Mother—English name:

*Julie Good*

Indian name:

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Maiden name:

*Julie - will League*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*North Carolina*

Mother:

*Jefferson Co Mo*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Gary W Good	April 4 1883	
	Japhin mo		
(2)	Chasault Good	sept 1887	
	Japhin mo		
(3)	Daisy Good	Oct 1 1896	
	Japhin mo		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Good	Robert League
William Good	+
Mary Good	Sarah Jane League
	+

18. Where were they born? middle Tennessee Both sides

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Jefferson Mo  
North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Hanna Good	Bill League
(2) Sarah Good	Del League
(3) Thomas Good	Frank League
(4) Mary Good	Jack League
(5) Landon Good	Mary League
(6) John Good	Henry League
Samuel Good	
Martha Good	
William Good	
Mary Good	
Joseph Good	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father Joseph Franklin

Good Grand father William Good  
Great Grand father Reddie Good

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Walter Pettaw Good

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Levon

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

C. E. Allen

and

W. H. Spyer

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Walter Pettaw Good

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and

6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. E. Allen

W. H. Spyer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 26, 1908.

Byron H. Levon

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 4 1907  
36884

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OCT 1 1907

Yours Truly  
Walter M. Good.  
2017 main st.  
Joplin Jasper Co  
Mo.

Joplin Mo.

Sept 30, 1904

Dear Sir,

I thought I would write you a few lines regarding ~~the~~ Eastern Cherokee enrollment I understand there are about 40,000 applications and if so about how much would that give each application

I understand there are about 4,000,000 of some say there are 8,000,000 dollars. Pardon me if I ask something of you that you can't answer yet as I don't suppose all of the applications have been considered yet but I suppose you have some idea what it will be how long do you think it will be until it is settled and each one has his money. The number of application card is 36884.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 10 1908  
No. 36884

*circ. let.*

DEC 10 1908

35119

J. Spm. No.  
Dec. 6. 1908

Dear Sir I thought I would  
write you in regard to  
the eastern cherry in bloom  
as it has been over a year and  
I haven't heard any thing about  
it. I hope you will find  
it. I ask you about it  
if you have it settled and  
about how much. I am sure  
of course I don't suppose you  
could tell to the figure but  
in the neighborhood of it.

Yours Truly.

Walter Good.

2017 main st.

Appl. Jasper Co. Me.

No. 368851

Action: Admitted

Name: John Miller and 2 children. Residence: Long Beach

Reasons:

He is a good and reliable citizen and  
same as -

Application for license no. 14167.

No. 36885

Name Julia Miller

With No. 8647

Remarks:



No. 30000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

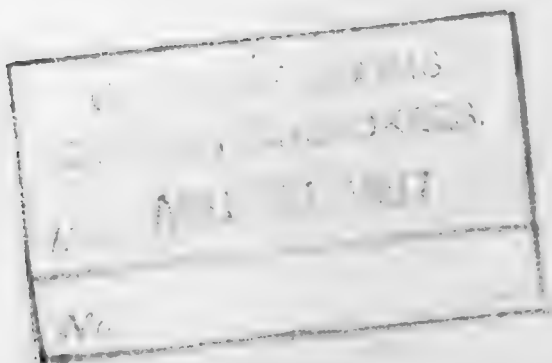
APPLICATION

OF

*Julia Miller*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Julia Miller,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Long,

3. County: Cherokee Nation,

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? 38, Years, Born June 13th, 1869.

6. Where were you born? West in Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? Yes,

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: Charley Miller, age 30, years,

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee,

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lydia Goodrich,</u>	<u>14,</u>	<u>Oct. 9th, 1892.</u>
(2)	<u>Martha "</u>	<u>13,</u>	<u>July 10th, 1893.</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: William Glass,

Indian name: Will A- Darket,

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: CHATUSEANY FOSTER

12. Where were they born?

Father: West

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: west

Mother: west

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: liveing

Mother: liveing

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Yes dates not known in Cherokee Nation  
and Tribe.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Annie Glass Stilwell, I.T.	1871,	
(2)	Lucy Glass	1873	1902.
(3)	Nancy <del>Glass</del> Duncan, Nee Glass Stilwell, I.T.	1875,	
(4)	Tom Glass Stilwell, I.T.	1878,	
(5)	Sallie Glass Stilwell, I.T.	1880,	
(6)	Lizzie Glass Stilwell, I.T.	1885.	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Glass	Foster,
Annie Glass	Sallie Foster,

18. Where were they born? East,

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
west

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Joseph Glass	Vian, I.T.
(2)	Eliza Musrat, Nee Glass	Evansville, Ark.
(3)	Lizzie Pettit " "	Bragg, I.T.
(4)	Loonie Glass	Deceased.
(5)	Jennie Locust, Nee Glass	"
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes dates not known in the Cherokee Nation and Tribe.
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My Mother's application is No. 8647,

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Julia Miller)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August 1907.

A. B. Ferguson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
March 1st, 1909., 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me C. C. Moton  
and William Miller, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Julia Miller  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. C. Moton  
William Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

190 .

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36886. Action: Reject.  
Name Geo. W. Blackwell and 3 children. Residence: Balt Ground, Ga.

Reasons:

*Biddy case.*

Field No. 36886  
Name Ser. W. Blackwell  
With No. 14066

Remarks:

not on rolls.

Group with  
14066. See T. T. T. T.  
with 14068

3" cousin of  
#14066. <sup>20886</sup>  
No. ....

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*Geo. H. Blackwell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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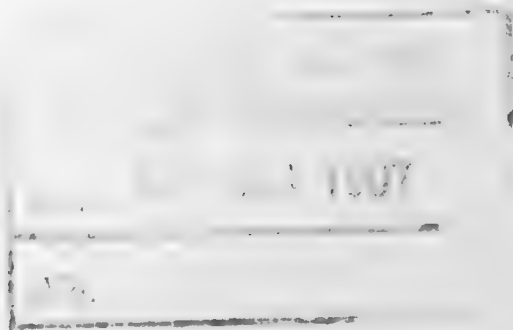
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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: George W. Blackwell

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Ballground R 7 D no 1

3. County: Pickens

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 44 Born 24 July 1863

6. Where were you born? Pickens County Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband Jannie Blackwell

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Stephen C</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10 May 1898</u>
(2)	<u>Paul C</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3 Dec 1902</u>
(3)	<u>Lula B</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3 June 1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Thomas Blackwell

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Ticie

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Biddy

12. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

Father: N. C.

Mother: N. C.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee County Ga

Mother: do

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 9 Years

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Demarcus S Blackwell</u> <u>Texas</u>		
(2)	<u>Elisabeth Biddy</u> <u>Canton Ga</u>		
(3)	<u>Joseph B Blackwell</u> <u>Canton Ga</u>		
(4)	<u>Rufus Blackwell</u> <u>Ballground Ga R7D 1</u>		
(5)	<u>Martha Dobson</u> <u>Ballground Ga R7D 1</u>		
(6)	<u>Selena Blackwell</u> <u>Texas</u>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Joel Blackwell  
Demaries Music

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Mushac Biddy  
Sarah Ledbetter

18. Where were they born? all in North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee County Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Don't Know</u>	
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

George W Blackwell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

J W Hogan

Notary Public.

My commission expires

1910, 190....

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Jimmie Grogan

and W F Arthur

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

George W Blackwell

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know

him

to be the identical person

he

represents himself to be, and that the statements made by

him

his

are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in

claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jimmie Grogan  
W F Arthur

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

J W Hogan

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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Appl. #36886

May 11, 1908.

George H. Blackwell,  
R. F. D. # 1,  
Ballground, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1854-55, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1854-55?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CMB:ALM

# 36886

Miscel.

George W. Blackwell being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 44 years of age and live in Pickens Co., Ga. I claim my Indian descent through my mother; my father is white. James C. Sams who has filed application #14068 is a full cousin of mine and I claim my Indian descent through the same source as he does and through no other source. I heard the testimony of James C. Sams and have nothing to add thereto. What he said is substantially my testimony. I am recognized as a white man in the community. Never heard of any of my ancestors being on the roll.

*Copied*

*G. W. Blackwell*

Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Jasper, Ga. this 9th day of July 1908.

FDR

Ass't to Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims.



No 36887.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Jack Smith* and *3* children.

Residence: *Paducah, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Ancestor not on rolls. Does not show  
a genuine connection with Cherokee  
tribe. Applicant failed to appear to  
give testimony, also neglected to answer  
letter of inquiry in regard to family  
relationships.*

#36887

Field Form  
No. 36887  
Name Jack Smith  
With No. Not let 2 on 1  
Remarks: Not Separately

No. 36888-9-90-91,  
grouped together.

Not on rolls.

Grouped at Irvington  
Some time ago.

No. 25587

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Ja Smith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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*Filed by*  
*J. R. Storie*  
*Forbur*  
*Rever*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jack Smith

Indian name: Ko-ker an Eastern Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Pall Mall

3. County: Fentress

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 26

Born 1881

6. Where were you born? Fentress County-Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ellen Smith 21

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Clarence Smith</u>	<u>6 years</u>	<u>Nov. 22 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Longa Smith</u>	<u>4 "</u>	<u>Feb. 12 1903</u>
(3)	<u>Edner Smith</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Oct. - 1904</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jess Smith

Indian name: Ko-ker an Eastern Cherokee

Mother—English name: Catharine Smith

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Catharine Conaters

12. Where were they born?

Father: Scott County Tenn.

Mother: Fentress "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress Leamy Tenn.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1294

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>George Smith</u> <u>Moudyville Tenn.</u>	<u>1271</u>	
(2)	<u>John Smith</u> <u>Moudyville Tenn.</u>	<u>1273</u>	
(3)	<u>Arise Smith</u> <u>Pall Mall Tenn</u>	<u>1277</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Richard Smith</u>	<u>Dave Conaters</u>
<u>Arelida Smith</u>	<u>and Catherine "</u>
<u>Indian names (Korker) an Eastern Cherokee</u>	
<u>(Arelida Co Co Maiden name)</u>	

18. Where were they born? Fentress Leamy Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fentress Leamy Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Father's Side	(1)	<u>Tenn. Smith, dead</u>	<u>William Conaters dead</u>
	(2)	<u>Sam Smith "</u>	<u>Lavie Alberham "</u>
	(3)	<u>Joshua Smith "</u>	<u>Dave Conaters "</u>
	(4)	<u>Hill Smith "</u>	<u>Elizabeth Conaters "</u>
	(5)		<u>G.W. Conaters James Tenn Tenn.</u>
	(6)		<u>Salie Stipp Moudyville Tenn.</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jess & Catherine Smith;

Richard & Hulda Smith; Jess Cobb & Benetta Cobb, Indian name Ko-ker, Eastern Cherokee

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through my father, Jess Smith, whose mother was  
Hulda Cobb, a daughter of Jess Cobb, whose mother was Annie  
Ko-ker, a Cherokee, I appoint J. B. Storri of Fairbairn Tenn,  
my Atty, and agree to pay 10 per cent com. to him at all.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Attest

J. B. Storri  
M. F. Buck

(Signature)

Jack X Smith  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Aug. 1907.

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910., 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. B. Storri

and L. S. Reed, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jack Smith.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 26 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Reed  
L. S. Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190 M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

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Appl. #36887

May 11, 1908.

Jack Smith,  
Fall Mall, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1854-55, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1854-55?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHE/ALS



No. 36888.

Name George Smith and X. children. Residence Modenville, Tenn. Action Reject.

Reasons: Brother of #36887.



No. 30818

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

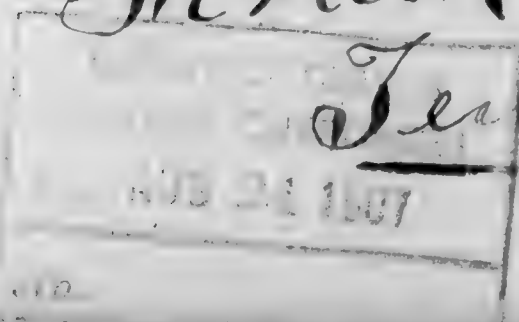
George Smith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Filed by  
J. R. S. Lorie Atty.

Thorburn  
Tenn.



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

*Fentress County Tenn.*

Mother:

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*"*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

*1894*

Mother:

*Living*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

*none*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>John Smith</i> <i>Moodyville Tenn.</i>	<i>1873</i>	
(2)	<i>Arge Smith</i> <i>Ball Mall Tenn.</i>	<i>1877</i>	
(3)	<i>Jack Smith</i> <i>Ball Mall Tenn.</i>	<i>1881</i>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>Richard Smith</i>	<i>Dave Canatser</i>
<i>Milda Smith</i>	<i>and Catherine Canatser</i>
<i>Indian name Koker</i>	<i>Indian name</i>

18. Where were they born?

*Fentress County Tenn.*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*Fentress County Tenn.*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Father's Side	Mother's Side
(1) <i>Sam Smith</i> <i>Dead</i>	<i>William Canatser</i> <i>Dead</i>
(2) <i>Sam Smith</i> <i>"</i>	<i>Levie Albertson</i> <i>"</i>
(3) <i>Joshua Smith</i> <i>"</i>	<i>Chicheath Canatser</i> <i>"</i>
(4) <i>Hill Smith</i> <i>"</i>	<i>Dave Canatser</i> <i>"</i>
(5)	<i>E. H. Canatser</i> <i>Jenneston Tenn.</i>
(6)	<i>Sallie Stepp</i> <i>Moodyville Tenn.</i>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no none

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jess Smith and Catherine Smith,  
Richard and Hulda Smith grandparents on  
father side (Indian name Ke ke)

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through my father Jess Smith whose mother was  
Hulda Cobb a daughter of Jess Cobb whose mother was  
James Ke ke a Cherokee. I appoint J. R. Storrie to handle  
my atty in this claim agree to give 10% atty fee.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. R. Storrie  
J. R. Storrie

(Signature)

George X Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this aug day of 3rd 1907.

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Shan Evans  
and C. C. Upchurch, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with George Smith  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Shan Evans

C. C. Upchurch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this aug 3rd day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

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No. 36889

Action: Refect

Name: Wm. Smith, and 2 children.

Residence: Rolls Mill, Tenn.

Reasons:

Brother of #36887

36889

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Aige Smith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed by  
*J. R. Stoner*

*Joshua*

*Vern*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
**601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Agie Smith

Indian name: Koker an Eastern Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Pell Mall

3. County: Franklin

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 30

Born

Dec 12/77

6. Where were you born? Franklin

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Corda Smith age 22

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Elizabeth Smith</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Nov. 7 1903</u>
(2)	<u>Larr. Smith</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>March 2 1906</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jess Smith

Indian name: Koker an Eastern Cherokee

Mother—English name: Catharine Smith

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Catharine Conaway

12. Where were they born?

Father: Scottsboro County Tenn.

Mother: Franklin County



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress Tenn

Mother: Fentress "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1884

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John Smith Hendryville Tenn.	1853	
(2)	George Smith Hendryville Tenn.	1871	
(3)			
(4)	Jack Smith Pull Mill Tenn.	1881	
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Richard Smith	Dan Canales
Hilda Smith	and Catherine "
Indian name Kokey on Eastern Cherokee	
(Hilda Cobb Maiden name)	

18. Where were they born? Fentress County Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fentress Co. Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
(1) Sam Smith Dead	William Canales dead
(2) Sam Smith "	Levi's Albertson "
(3) Ashra Smith "	Elisha's Canales "
(4) Hill Smith "	Dave "
(5)	G.W. Canales Jameson Tenn.
(6)	Sally Stepp Hendryville "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jess and Catharine Smith;  
Richard and Hulda Smith, and Jess Cobb and  
Benette Cobb. Indian name Ko-ker

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through my father Jess Smith whose mother was  
Hulda Cobb a daughter of Jess Cobb whose mother was  
Fannie Ko-ker a Cherokee. I appoint J. R. Stoner of Hopkins Tenn.  
as my Atty. and pay him \$10.00 even an tall & my get.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. R. Stoner

(Signature)

Hige Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Aug. 1907.

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT

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himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

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Signatures of Witnesses.

John Evans

L. S. Reed

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No. 36890 Action: Refect.  
Name John Smith and X children. Residence: Woodville, Tenn.  
Reasons: Brother of 36887

36890

No. 35890

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John Smith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Filed by*  
*J. R. Storie*

*Foxburg*

*Tenn.*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	none		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Hentress County Tenn.

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1884

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	George Smith Moodyville Tenn.	1871	
(2)	Jack Smith Fall Mall Tenn.	1881	
(3)	Alie Smith Fall Mall Tenn.	1877	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Richard Smith	Dave Conners
Arlida Smith	and Catharine "
Indian name (Kerker)	
(Arlida Cobb Mardin name)	

18. Where were they born? Hentress County Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hentress Co. Tenn.  
Hentress County Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Father's Side	Mother's Side
(1) Sam Smith dead	William Conners dead
(2) Sam Smith "	Louis Adkins "
(3) Joshua Smith "	and Conners "
(4) Hill Smith "	W. Conners Jameson Tenn.
(5)	Julie & Lipp Moodyville "
(6)	Elizabeth Conners dead.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jess & Catharine Smith:  
Richard and Hulda Smith: Elfers Cobb and  
Benett Cobb Indian name (Koker)

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through my father Jess Smith whose mother was  
Hulda Cobb a daughter of Elfers Cobb whose mother was Fannie  
Koker a Cherokee. I appoint J. R. Storie of Hopkins Tenn.  
my atty and agree to pay 10% com. to him on all.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. A. that

J. R. Storie  
M. F. Buck

(Signature)

John X Smith  
6th

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Aug. 1907.

M. F. Buck  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910., 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Thos Evans

and

S. F. Storie

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John Smith

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and

30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Thos Evans  
S. F. Storie

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 1910., 190 M. F. Buck.  
Notary Public.

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No. 36891

Action

Reject

Name

Samuel E. Beatty and X children.

Residence:

Madison, Tenn.

Reasons:

Second Cousin of 36887

36891



No. 36888-91.

Name

With No.

36889

Remarks:

Geo. Smith

Hier

for

to see E. Smith

35801

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jamie E. Beatty*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Filed by  
J. R. Storie  
Tomb*

*Jamie*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Antreas Karmy Tenn

Mother: Antreas Karmy ..

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Dec 2nd, 1893

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: none

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Manson Beatz</u>	<u>37 = 1874</u>	
	<u>Moodywill Tenn.</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Dave Beatz

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Fannie Smith

David Smith

Indian, K. K. K.

18. Where were they born? Dont know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dont know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John Leath dead</u>	
(2)	<u>Thomas Leath "</u>	
(3)	<u>Sam Leath "</u>	
(4)	<u>Arilda Smith "</u>	
(5)	<u>Deborah Evans "</u>	
(6)	<u>Mary Mullins</u>	<u>Dunville Ky.</u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Sarah Smith and grand  
parents Hattie Smith and J. C. Smith and great  
grandparents Jess Cobb whose mother was a Cherokee, Cobb  
Acey and Hattie Cobb was teaching Cherokees, parents of Jess.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through Jess Cobb whose mother's maiden name  
was Hattie Koker. I appoint J. R. Storrie of Fort  
Sumner, my Atty. in this claim, and I agree to give  
him 10 % of Atty. fees.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Hattie C. Cobb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910:

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. R. Storrie

and Mattie C. Cobb, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Hattie C. Cobb

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. R. Storrie

Mattie C. Cobb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan: 1910:

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M. F. Buck

Notary Public.

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No. 36892.

Action: Reject

Name Peter Rolan and 2 children. Residence: Lewis, Texas.

Reasons:

#36892  
It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled  
or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 &  
1846. Shows no real connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

No. 30892

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Peter Rolan

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Buckley Tex.  
Ester Whitaker  
Calvert Tex.  
Maggie Rogers.  
Dont Know  
Mary Walker.  
Hubbard Tex.  
Otta Hall.  
Hubbard Tex.

46.  
44.  
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36892

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Hallie Viola	3 yrs	Oct. 23, 1903
(2)	Fay Etta	1 .. 10 months	Sept. 28, 1905
(3)	Baby Boy	1 week 4. D.	Aug. 3, 1907
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Halifax Co. North Carolina.

Mother: Halifax Co. North Carolina.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died May 13- 1899-

Mother: Died May 21- 1891-

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No. they never was.

Enrolled. But they was of the Tribe. Cherokee.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ben Brantley.</u> <u>Mont. Texas.</u>	<u>52 yrs. old</u>	
(2)	<u>Ed Brantley.</u> <u>Scotland N.C.</u>	<u>50. " "</u>	
(3)	<u>Jack Brantley.</u> <u>Mont. Texas.</u>	<u>44. " "</u>	
(4)	<u>Nathaniel Brantley.</u> <u>Santonia Texas.</u>	<u>42. " "</u>	
(5)	<u>Washington Brantley.</u> <u>Hubbard. Texas.</u>	<u>39. " "</u>	
(6)	<u>William Brantley.</u> <u>Marlin Texas.</u>	<u>37. " "</u>	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Tony Ralan.</u>	<u>Dolphin Dumatta.</u>

<u>Charlott Ralan</u>	<u>Rosetta Ralls.</u>
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18. Where were they born? Dont Know.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dont Know.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Grand Ralan.</u>	<u>Dont Know.</u>
(2)	<u>Peter Ralan.</u>	<u>Scotland Neck N.C.</u>
(3)	<u>Benton Ralan.</u>	<u>Dont Know.</u>
(4)	<u>Daniel Ralan.</u>	<u>Dont Know.</u>
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No. & never was.  
Enrolled. & am of the Cherokee Tribe.
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

Peter Rolan,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

B. C. Goodum 114  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 10<sup>th</sup> 1909

1909.

and for Burleson County, Texas

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Houston Lawrence

and

J. B. Blake

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Peter Rolan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 14 years and

1 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person whom he

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. C. Goodum

Houston Lawrence

J. B. Blake

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

19

day of

August

1907.

My commission expires

June 10<sup>th</sup> 1909

1909.

B. C. Goodum

Burleson County, Texas.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. OCT 26 1907  
No. 26892

*Wineford*

OCT 26 1907

Tunis. Texas.  
Oct. 20. 1907.

Mr. Guion Miller.

Dear Sir.

In reply to my Application  
No. 36892. I would like to know  
what have the Court decided about  
my claim. Whether for money or  
land for me and my children.  
in your next writing Please,  
yours Truly.

Peter Rolan.  
Burlison Co., Tunis. Texas



Appl. #36892

May 11, 1908.

Peter Polan,  
Tulsa, Texas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please state whether you,  
your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the  
Cherokee tribes. If so, state when and where. Also your,  
your parents, and grandparents resided in the  
Indian or negro in the community in which you and  
they have resided.

Was the report through which you claim not en-  
rolled in 1861, and where was he or she residing in  
1861-62, or living at that time? Where were your grand-  
parents on the date through which you claim residing in

1861-62?  
If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state  
whether slaves of Indians or white people.  
Very respectfully,

Special Agent in Charge

CRP/ALS

Appl. #36892

May 11, 1908.

Peter Rolan,  
Tunis, Texas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1854-55, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1854-55?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

*July 4*  
No. *36892*  
Name *Peter Rolan*  
With No. *Quelton Co.*  
Remarks:

*not on rolls.*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 21 1908  
36892



Appl- #36892.

Tunis, Texas.

July 17- 1908  
Mr. Guion Miller,

Special Commissioner,

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter May  
11. as I was born in 1870.  
Both of my grand Fathers was  
Dead. So I am unable to say  
where they Resided in  
1834-35.

And I don't know why they  
was not Enrolled in 1851.

Though we was recognized  
as Indians Every where we  
have lived.

My Father and mother was  
in slave with white people  
I want to tell you the truth  
about it as near as possible.  
so you can decide what  
ever way you deem best.  
yours Truly.

Peter Polan.  
Lunio, Texas.

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Aug-19-07.

Tunis Burleson Co., Texas.  
Mr. Guion Miller.

Special Commissioner.  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,

As there was so many children  
in the Rolan Family, I had to  
Over Rule your Blank. there is  
15. living children.

And I wrote all their names in  
English. Because they all go by  
that name at present.

Yours Respt  
Peter Rolan Jr.  
Tunis- Texas.  
Burleson Co.,



No. 36893.

Action: Reject

Name: Maranda J. Edwards, and 3 children.

Residence: Cronoga mo

Reasons:

Daughter of 3279-S-

R.F.D. no 1

No. 36893-4.

Name

With No. 32795.

Remarks:

Maranda J. Edwards  
James A. McRuggs.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

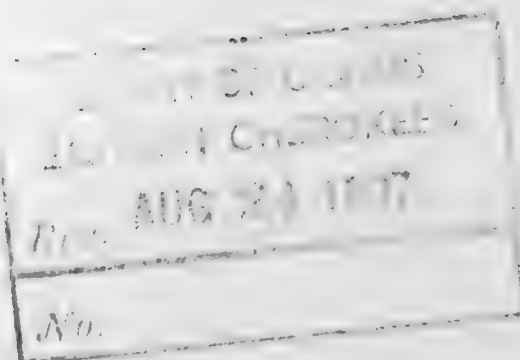
APPLICATION

OF

*Maranda Isabell Edwards*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36893

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Margaret Isabell Edwards

Indian name: Margaret Isabell Kunkley

2. Residence and post office: Prange R F D No 1

3. County: Jasper

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 42 Born May 3 1865

6. Where were you born? Carlisle Ark

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Edwards age 69

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Julia Annie Edwards</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>May 16 1882</u>
(2)	<u>William Lloyd Edwards</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>July 25 1889</u>
(3)	<u>Rosie Adeline Edwards</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Feb 12 1895</u>
(4)	<u>Hessie Clementine Edwards</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Sept 3 1900</u>
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Samuel Gillum

Indian name: +

Mother—English name: Mary Ellen Bralk

Indian name: Mary Ellen Kunkley

Maiden name: Mary Ellen Kunkley

12. Where were they born? :

Father: Indiana

Mother: Carlisle Ark



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

(1) NAME BORN. DIED.  
Calvinus Gilliam Jan 30 1871

(2) Cora Gilliam Sept 3 1874

(3) Joseph Newton Rivett Sept 10 1899

(4)

(5)

(6)

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Unknown

David Kunly

Unknown

David Kunly

Perlina Kunly

+

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

Martha Kunly

Mary & Len Kunly

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother Mary Ellen  
Brack Mary Ellen Kunly Grand father  
David Kunly great Grand father  
Alexander Kunly

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Marianda Isabell Edwards

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

Chas R Smith

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 4, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Pearl E Skafe

and

C. C. Prutz

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Marianda Isabell Edwards

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

her for 12 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Pearl E Skafe

C. C. Prutz

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

March 4

1909

Chas R. Smith

Notary Public.

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No. 36894

Action: Reject

Name Julia A. Scruggs and 1 children. Residence: Jasper mo.

Reasons:

Grand daughter of 32795.

*Grand  
John*

No. 131251-1

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION  
OF

*Julia Anne Rogers*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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RECEIVED  
COURT OF CLAIMS  
AUG 24 1907  
No.

3659E



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

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(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wade O. S. M.

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: MO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Alton Jay Edwards	July 25 1889	
	R. F. D #1 Arnaga mo		
(2)	Rafie Ediline Edwards	Feb 12 1895	
	R. F. D #1 Arnaga mo		
(3)	Veronica Ediline Edwards	Sept 3 1900	
	R. F. D #1 Arnaga mo		
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James Edwards	Samuel Gillam
+	+
Lia Annie Edwards	Mary Ellen Brack
+	Mary Ellen Brack
Where were they born? <u>unknown</u>	Indianat North Carolina
19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?	<u>unknown</u>

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	_____
(2)	_____
(3)	_____
(4)	_____
(5)	_____
(6)	_____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

mathes maranda & abell  
Edwards Maranda & abell  
Grand mathes mary Ellen Black Mary Ellen  
Wmly Great Grand father David Wmly Great  
Great Grand father alexander Wmly  
REMARKS. (Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Julia Annis Scruggs.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

Chas R Smith  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 4, 1909

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and C. O. Pruitt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Julia Annis Scruggs who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Pearl E. Scafe.  
C. O. Pruitt.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March 4

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9. Chas R Smith  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36895.

Action: Rejected.

Name: William F. Lane and 4 children.

Residence: Musk, Okla.

Reasons:

Belaine through the same course as 20051-



No. 36895

Name

~~36895~~ Lane

With No.

~~36895~~

Remarks:

30623

21895

No. 22281

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

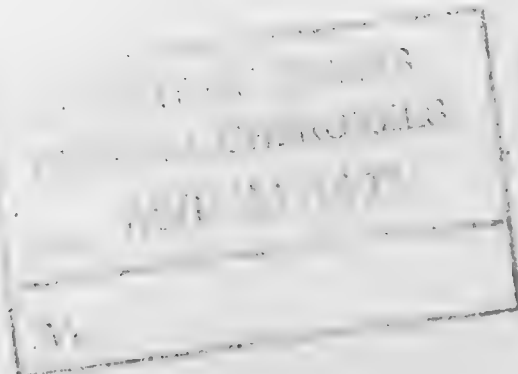
APPLICATION

OF

*William F. Davis*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



3609E

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

William Francis Lane

Indian name:

none

2. Residence and post office:

Mark

3. County:

4. State:

Indian Territory

5. How old are you?

23

Born

Sept 3rd 1883

6. Where were you born?

Crawford Co Arkansas

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Laura Bell Lane 23 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

White Woman

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Francis M Lane

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Nancy E Lane

Indian name:

none

Maiden name:

Nancy E Strong

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Crawford Co Arkansas

Mother:

Missouri Co Mo

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living

Mother:     

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Hessie Hall Hadley I J	1880 June 27	Chautauq I J
(2)	Effie Caroline Hadley I J Lane	1888 Aug 19	
(3)	Samuel B Lane	1874 Dec 28	Dec 1897
(4)	Ethel E Lane	1877 April 1	1894 April 18
(5)	Sarah E Lane	1880 Oct 17	1887 July 28
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Samuel P Lane	Benjamin F. Strong
Nancy Lane	Nancy Lane
Mother name Nancy Scott	Sarah E. Strong
	Annaida massie
	Nancy Scott

18. Where were they born? i don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fathers side in Arkansas.  
mothers in Missouri

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	
(2)	<u>See fathers application</u>
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: application No 2223/  
contains all the facts in our case.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William F Lane

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1907.

Will A Crockett  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 7<sup>th</sup> 1910. 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W O Spurgeon  
and G F Shultz, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with William F Lane  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 years and  
3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. O. Spurgeon  
G. F. Shultz

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My commission expires

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H.C.B.

No. 36896.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Henry Riley Katfield*, and *2* children. Residence: *Webb City, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. Does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee domain in 1835-6 and 1846, as recognized members of the tribe. Ancestors through whom applicant claims were living in Kentucky in 1835-6. See letter filed herein, marked "Ex. A."*

*(Adj. by H. C. Black)*

#36896

36896

No. 36896

Name Henry R. Hatfield

With No. ....

Remarks:

Reject.

nos. 36897, -8-9, 36900,

grouped herewith.

Not on rolls.

1. No Ancestor ever enrolled
2. " " living with tribe  
in 1835 or 1846.
3. bined in Ky. in 1835.
4. Establish nothing.

No 96896

Rejected

Applicant or au-  
thors were never  
enrolled. Does not  
appear that they were  
living within the  
limits of the Cherokee  
Domain in 1835-6+1846  
as recognized members  
of the tribe. Therefore  
those whose applicant  
claims were living  
in 1835-6 -  
See letter filed  
herein marked "Ex A"



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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

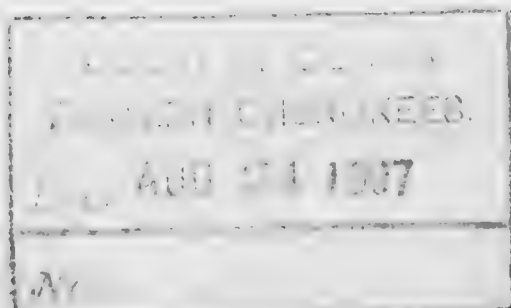
APPLICATION

OF

*Henry Riley Hatfield*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) Mary Frances Hatfield 36 May 23 1871

(2) Henry Thomas Hatfield 30 June 2 1877

(3) George David Hatfield 27 Oct 25 1879

Leslie Washington Hatfield 1881

1883

1894

1897

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

Born  
Mar 11 1894  
Jessie Washington Hotfield

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Mary Stanley Hatfield	36	May 25 1871
(2)	Henry Thomas Hatfield	30	June 2 1877
(3)	George David Hatfield	27	Oct 25 1879
(4)	Sandra Belle Hatfield	26	May 20 1881
(5)	Lusie Hatfield	24	June 15 1883
(6)	Minnie Hatfield	17	Feb 5 1890

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Harris Hayes Hatfield	Oct 10 1834	
	Bracken Ridge Kanawha		
(2)	Lucy Ann Hatfield	May 15 1836	
	Bracken Ridge Kanawha		
(3)	John J. Thomas Hatfield	Oct 8 1838	
	Bracken Ridge Kanawha		
(4)	Sophia Jane Hatfield	Apr 1 1860	
	Bracken Ridge Kanawha		
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Hatfield	Dansie Morris
+	+
Lucy Hatfield	Sophia Morris
Palmy Carter	+

18. Where were they born? North Carolina Virginia Kanawha

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Kanawha  
no Bath side

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John Hatfield	Sam Morris
(2)	David Hatfield	Jack Morris
(3)	Malan Hatfield	Bill Morris
(4)	Wes Hatfield	Belkie Morris
(5)	Chie Hatfield	Demp Morris
(6)	Edith Hatfield	Lucy Morris
	Kathleen Hatfield	Bob Morris
		Sam Morris

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father David Hatfield  
David Charles Grand mother Riley Hatfield  
Riley Charles Great Grand father David  
Charles

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. witness to mark  
A. Graham (Signature) Henry Riley Hatfield  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.  
J. O. Harrison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 27, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. W. Holt  
and D. R. Dunlap, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Henry Riley Hatfield  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 12 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.  
M. M. Holt  
J. L. Dunlap

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires Sept. 27, 1907.  
J. O. Harrison  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* JAN 14 1908  
*No.* 36896

*circ. let.*  
JAN 15 1908



Wash. City Mo. 1/11-08.

Hon. Quin Miller Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir, will you please  
give me all the information  
you can in regard to the  
participation in the fund  
arising from the judgment  
of the Court of Claims in  
favor of the Boston Chamber  
not but been cited as appli-  
cation No. 36896.

Please let me hear from  
you in regard to this matter  
at an early date.  
Very Respt.

Henry T. Watfield.



Appl. #36896

May 11, 1908.

Henry R. Hatfield,  
Webb City, Mo.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CH/ALS

App. No. 36896

May 29, 1908.

Postmaster,

Webb City, Missouri.

Sir:

On May 11, 1908, a letter was mailed by this Office to Henry R. Hatfield, Webb City, Missouri, and the same was returned by you on May 15, endorsed, "Unclaimed" and "Return to Writer".

This letter is this day remailed to Henry R. Hatfield, Webb City, Missouri, and you are requested to forward it to his present address, if known; if not known, you are to hold it the regulation thirty days as required by the postoffice department.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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received as a present  
but was disappointed as the  
quantity was small  
in 1894 - 38 - 4087  
amount received in 1894  
was 1000 but was not  
used for the purpose  
of the fund. The  
amount of 1000 was  
used for the purpose  
of the fund.

Very Respectfully  
Yours,  
J. P. Hartfield

J. P. Hartfield  
has been a member  
of the board of  
the fund since  
1894.

J. P. Hartfield  
has been a member  
of the board of  
the fund since  
1894.

Webb City. Mo. June 7-08.

Now Special Commissioner of the Court of  
Claims. Eastern Cherokee Enrollment.

Sir: Relative to Yours of June the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Answ. in regard to whether my Father  
or Grandfather ever resided with the  
Cherokee tribe, Will say, my Chero-  
kee blood is from my Great Grandparent,  
David Carter. In North Car. he  
lived and died in N.C. and my  
Grandfather married David Carters  
Daughter, Pollie Carter, and they left  
North Car. and went to Kentucky  
and there remained until Death. My  
Great Grandparents resided with the  
Cherokee tribe. My Grandparents  
and my parents and my self were  
recognized as Indians in Kentu-  
ky. and in all other places we lived.  
I moved from Ky to the Cherokee  
Nation in 1880, but was not



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recognized as a bonafied citizen  
but was recognized as an  
eastern Cherokee Indian.  
in 1834 - 35 My parents and Gran-  
parents resided in Ky. The  
reason my Father and Granfather  
were Not in rolled, they lived  
in Ky. and had no chance  
to be inrolled. Neither of my-  
parents or Granparents were  
Slaves.

Very Respectly Yours.  
Henry. R. Hatfield

P.S. I have ans all those  
Questions to the best of ~~my~~  
Knowledge as I have been  
Taught

Yours  
Henry. R. Hatfield.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
MAR 16 1909  
No. 36896

enc. let.

MAR 16 1909

Webb City Mo  
March 13<sup>th</sup> 1909

Mr Guion Miller  
Washington D C.

Dear Sir -

As it has been some time since I  
heard from my claim # 36896, Eastern  
Cherokee's I thought I would write to you and  
see if you could give me any idea of how  
soon this claim will be paid off.

I am getting old and working in the mines  
at this place and if you can give me any  
information in regard to it I will appreciate  
it very much.

Thanking you for an early reply. I remain

Yours truly

Henry K. Hatfield

Gen. Rel.

Webb City Mo

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 17 1909  
No. 36896

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Eastern Cherokee Fund  
Claim No. 36,896  
Henry Riley Hatfield.

State of Missouri  
County of Jasper SS

Now comes Henry Riley Hatfield whose Post Office address is Webb City Jasper County Missouri and who being first duly sworn before me an acting and duly commissioned Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid deposes and says as follows to-wit:- That he is the identical person described in the Application under No. 36,896 and that his fathers name was David Hatfield, son of Nathan and Pollie Hatfield and Pollie Hatfield was a daughter of David Carter a full Blood Cherokee Indian and was born and raised in North Carolina in Cherokee County.

Nathan Hatfield and wife Pollie Hatfield (ne) Carter Post Office Address Stevensburg Harden County Kentucky in A.D. 1851

That His father David Hatfield in 1851 was 23 years old and lived at Stevensburg Harden County Kentucky.

That said Pollie Hatfield ne Carter was 42 years old in 1851. and further affiant sayeth Naught.

*Henry Riley Hatfield*

Subscribed and sworn to on this 14th. day of June A.D. 1909

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I, J.C. Harrison a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal at my office in Webb City Missouri on day and date first above written and I further declare that I have no interest in the prosecution of this claim and I believe from the acquaintance with the affiant that he is respectable and entitled to credit and that he is the person he represents himself to be.

*J. C. Harrison*  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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File with "

Mr. Speller



J. C. HARRISON  
Real Estate, Insurance, Loan and Mining  
Broker. Notary Public  
113 DAUGHERTY ST. HOME PHONE 213

State of Missouri )  
County of Jasper ) ss.

Webb City, Mo., August 26, '09

Clerk of the Court of Claims,  
Washington City, D. C.

Dear Sir:- In behalf of an exception filed in the Court of Claims by Henry R. Hatfield, whose application no. 36896 for participation in the fundarising from the judgement of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and we ask for the following names to be made a part of his exception in the Court of Claims, namely:- Virgie Hatfield 36897;  
Geo. D. Hatfield No. 36898; Susan H. Hatfield 36899; Laura B. Hatfield 36900;

Yours respectfully

Henry R. Hatfield By J A Graham

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. MAY 18 1908  
No.

OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Rec. Letter  
P. M.

Returned to Writer

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Webb City, Mo.

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WEBB CITY  
MAY 15 1908  
MO.





OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

36896  
VJR  
COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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J. M.

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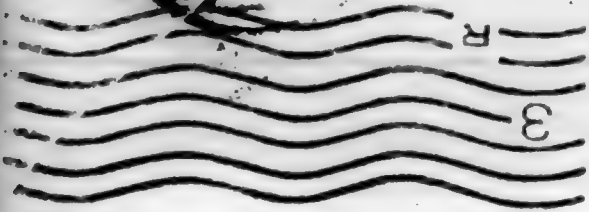
Henry C. Hatfield,  
Webb City, Mo.

WEBB CITY  
MAY 15 1908  
10:00 AM  
MO.



Any person using this envelope for the payment of postage on private matter of any kind, will be subject to a fine of three hundred dollars.  
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ST. LOUIS CITY, MO  
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WASHINGTON, D.C.  
MAY 12  
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1908

No. 36897.

Action: Reject.

Name: Virgie Hatfield, and — children.

Residence: Webb City, Penn.

Reasons:

Daughter of #36896, and claims through  
the same ancestors.

No. 36897-900.

Name

With No. 36896.

Remarks:

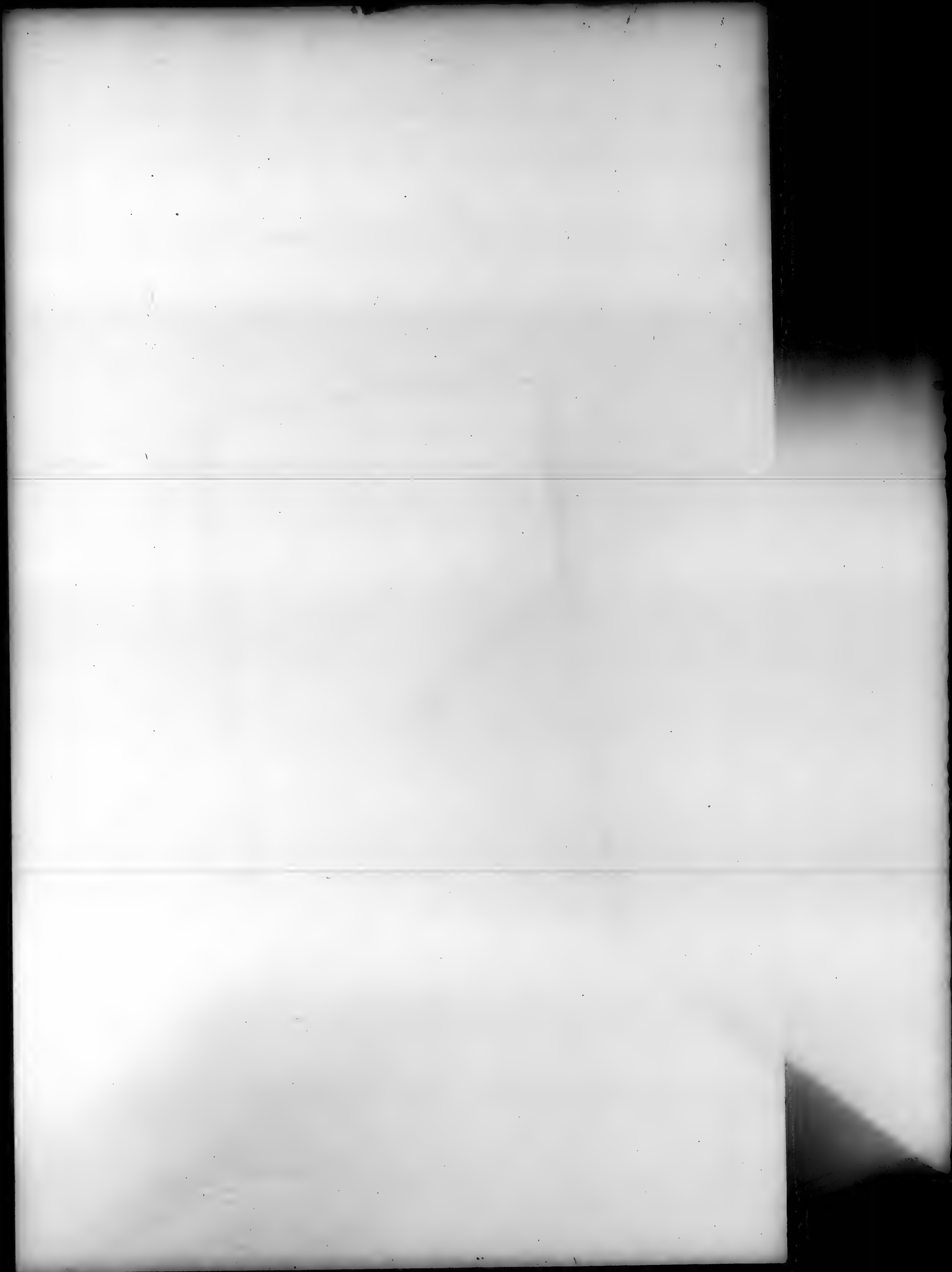
Virgie H. Hatfield

Geo. B.

Russia H.

Laura B.





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No. ....

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Virgie Hatfield*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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No. ....

36897

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Frances Hatfield	may 25 1871	

(2)	Henry Thomas Hatfield	June 2 1877	
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(3)	George David Hatfield	Oct 25 1879	
	West city mo		

(4)	Laura Bell Hatfield	may 20 1881	
	West city mo		

(5)	Susie Hatfield	June 15 1883	
	West city mo		

(6)	Jessie Washington Hatfield	mas 1 1894	
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17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
David Hatfield	Thomas Pointes
David Carter	+
Saley Hatfield	Susan Pointes
+	+

18. Where were they born? North Carolina & Kentucky

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Kentucky  
both sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence if possible:

(1)	Harris Hatfield	Hardean Pointes
(2)	John J Hatfield	Bell Pointes
(3)	Saley Hatfield	Altham Pointes
(4)	Alpha J Hatfield	John Pointes
(5)	Henry Riley Hatfield	Wilkie Pointes
(6)		David Pointes
		Annice Pointes
		Annice Pointes



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father Henry Riley  
Hathfield Henry Riley Carter Grand  
Father David Hathfield David Carter

Great Grand mother Poley Hathfield g his claim.)  
Poley Carter Great Great Grand  
Father David Carter

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Virge Hathfield)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 27, 1907

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. W. Holt

and J. L. Dunlap, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Virge Hathfield

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

19 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. W. Holt

J. L. Dunlap

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 27, 1907

J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

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Great Grand mother Poley Hatfield  
Poley Carter Great Great Grand  
father David Carter

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father Henry Riley  
Hathfield Henry Riley Carter Grand  
Father David Hathfield David Carter

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Virgie Hathfield)

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J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 27, 1907

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Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. W. Holt

J. L. Dunlap

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My commission expires

Sept 27, 1907

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No. 36898.

Action: *Reject*

Name: *George David Katfield, and — children.*

Residence: *Webb City, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Son of # 36896, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*



No. 33498

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

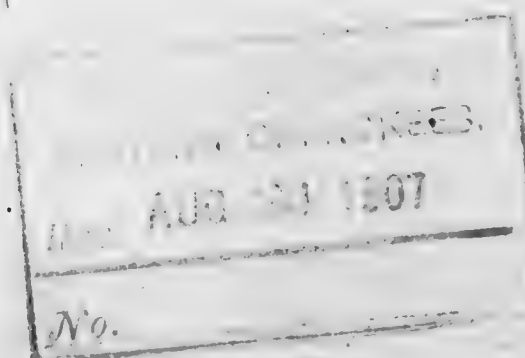
APPLICATION

OF

*George David Hatfield*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name:

*George David Hatfield*

Indian name:

*George David Carter*

2. Residence and post office:

*Wetzel City*

3. County:

*Valley*

4. State:

*Missouri*

5. How old are you?

*27*

Born

*Oct 25 1879*

6. Where were you born?

*Harvard Co Mo*

7. Are you married?

*no*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

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9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

—

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Henry Riley Hatfield*

Indian name:

*Henry Riley Carter*

Mother—English name:

*Belle Hatfield*

Indian name:

*+*

Maiden name:

*Bill J. Carter*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Harden Co Kentucky*

Mother:

*Cass Co Kentucky*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *no*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Frances Hatfield		May 25 1871 <i>Linn</i>
(2)	Henry Thomas Hatfield		June 2 1877
(3)	Johnnie Bell Hatfield		May 20 1881
(4)	Susie Hetty Hatfield		June 15 1883
(5)	Nirgil Hatfield		Feb 5 1890
(6)	Lessie Washington Hatfield		May 1 1894

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
David Hatfield	Thomas Pointes
David Carter	+
Saley Hatfield	Susan Pointes
+	+

18. Where were they born? *North Carolina & Kentucky*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Kentucky*  
*Both sides*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Harris Hatfield	Harden Pointes
(2)	Johnnie Hatfield	Bell Pointes
(3)	William Hatfield	Octaves Pointes
(4)	Sophia Hatfield	John Pointes
(5)	Henry Riley Hatfield	Wilkie Pointes
(6)		David Pointes
		Gennie Pointes
		Maie Pointes

Great Grand mother Poley Hatfield  
Poley Carter Great Great Grand  
father David Carter



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father Henry Riley  
Half-brother Henry Riley Grandfather  
David Hatfield David Porter

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Witness to mark

for Graham (Signature George David Hatfield)  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.  
J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 27 1907

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. W. Holt  
and G. L. Dunlap, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with George David Hatfield  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him 10 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses,

W. W. Holt

G. L. Dunlap

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 27 1907 J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

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No. 36899.

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Susie H. Hatfield*, and — children.

Residence: *Webb City, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of # 36896, and claims through the same ancestors.*

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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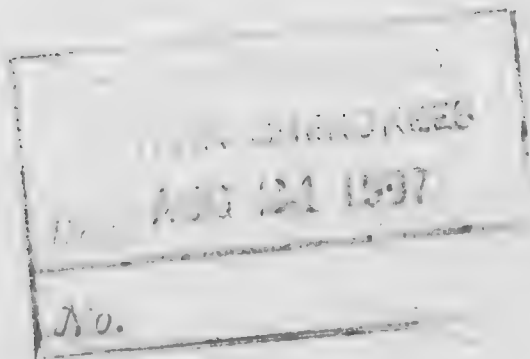
APPLICATION

OF

*Susie Hetty Hatfield*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: *no*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Mary Frances Hatfield</i>	<i>May 25 1871</i>	
(2)	<i>Henry Thomas Hatfield</i>	<i>June 2 1877</i>	
(3)	<i>George David Hatfield</i>	<i>Oct 9 1879</i>	
	<i>Webb City Mo</i>		
(4)	<i>Anna Bell Hatfield</i>	<i>May 20 1881</i>	
	<i>Webb City Mo</i>		
(5)	<i>Margie Hatfield</i>	<i>Feb 5 1890</i>	
	<i>Webb City</i>		
(6)	<i>Jessie Washington Hatfield</i>	<i>Mar 11 1894</i>	
	<i>Webb City Mo</i>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>David Hatfield</i>	<i>Thomas Paintes</i>
<i>David Carter</i>	<i>+</i>
<i>Saley Hatfield</i>	<i>Susan Paintes</i>
<i>+</i>	<i>+</i>

18. Where were they born? *North Carolina Kentucky*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Kentucky*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<i>Harry Hatfield</i>	<i>Harden Paintes</i>
(2)	<i>John J. Hatfield</i>	<i>Bell Paintes</i>
(3)	<i>Wiley A. Hatfield</i>	<i>Charles Paintes</i>
(4)	<i>Sophia Hatfield</i>	<i>John Paintes</i>
(5)	<i>Henry Riley Hatfield</i>	<i>Dickie Paintes</i>
(6)		<i>David Paintes</i>
		<i>Gennie Paintes</i>
		<i>Annie Paintes</i>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Father Henry Riley  
Half-brother Henry Riley Grand  
Father David Hatfield David Carter  
Great Grand mother Poley Hatfield s claim.  
Poley Carter Great Grand  
Father David Carter

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Surie Henry Hatfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept. 27, 1907

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 27, 1907 J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Great Grand mother Poley Hatfield  
Poley & Cortes Great Great Grand  
father David Cortes



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father Henry Riley Hatfield Henry Riley Carter Grand  
father David Hatfield David Carter

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Susie Hetty Hatfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15

day of

Aug

1907.

J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept. 27

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. W. Holt

and

G. L. Secor

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Susie Hetty Hatfield

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Sept 27, 1907

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. M. Holt

G. L. Secor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15

day of

Aug

1907.

My commission expires

Sept 27

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No. 36900.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Laura Bell Hatfield, and 1 child*

Residence: *Webb City, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of # 36896, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Laura Bell Hatfield*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lansia Bell Hatfield

Indian name: Lansa Bell Carter

2. Residence and post office: Wet City Mo

3. County: Jasper

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 26 Born May 20 1881

6. Where were you born? Chataw Nation

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: no

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Willie Evert Hatfield</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Dec 22 1904</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Henry Riley Hatfield

Indian name: Henry Riley Carter

Mother—English name: Bell Hatfield

Indian name: +

Maiden name: Bell Painter

12. Where were they born?

Father: Harden Co Kanbulkey

Mother: Casay Co Kanbulkey



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Frances Hatfield	May 23 1871	webb city mo
(2)	Henry Thomas Hatfield	June 2 1877	
(3)	George David Hatfield	Oct 25 1879	webb city mo
(4)	Jessie Washington Hatfield	Mar 1 1894	webb city mo
(5)	Maud Nellie Hatfield	June 15 1883	webb city mo
(6)	Virgie Hatfield	Feb 5 1890	webb city mo

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
David Hatfield	James Paintes
David Charles	+
Sally Hatfield	Mrs. Paintes

18. Where were they born? North Cassin & Huntley

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Huntley Bath  
city

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Harris Hatfield	Harold Paintes
(2)	John Thomas Hatfield	Bell Paintes
(3)	Sally Ann Hatfield	Attaves Paintes
(4)	Sophia J. Hatfield	John Paintes
(5)	Henry Riley Hatfield	Ed Rice Paintes
(6)		David Paintes
		Emmie Paintes
		Annie Paintes

Great Grand mother Poley Hatfield  
Poley Carter Great Great Grand father  
David Carter

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father Henry Riley  
Halford Henry Riley Carter Grandfather  
David Halford David Carter

REMARKS.

Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness mark  
J. C. Harrison (Signature) Laura Bell Halford  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.  
J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept. 27, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. W. Holt  
and J. L. Dunlap, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Laura Bell Halford  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. W. Holt

J. L. Dunlap

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept. 27, 1907

J. C. Harrison  
Notary Public.

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No. 36901.

Action: Reject

Name Mary White and 3 children. Residence: Vandalia Mich

Reasons:

Ancestors were not parties to  
Treaties of 1835-36-40, were never  
enrolled with Cherokees,

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Michigan ?  
No. 36901

Name Mary White

With No. ....

Remarks:

Not an roll.

No. 30001

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

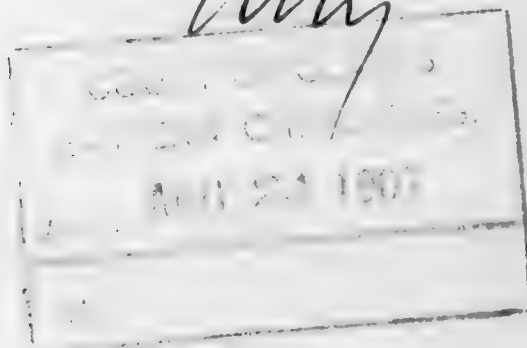
Mary White

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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M. W. Anthony

Atty



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Mirthe White	11	march 1894
(2)	Greg White	9	Novem 1898
(3)	Robert White	3.18	set. 1904
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 8 10 years

Mother: Died 1803

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Charles Harris</u>		
	<u>Joseph Harris</u>		
(2)	<u>George Reardon</u>		
(3)	<u>Andrew G. Harris</u>		
(4)	<u>Benjamin Harris</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>William Harris</u>	<u>Julian Harris</u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Benjamin Harris</u>	
	<u>at Detroit, Michigan</u>	
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: William Harris

Susan Harris

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grandmother being  
a Half Breed Cherokee Indian  
my grandpa. Was a Half breed  
Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1907.

Suslie Green

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 17<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Stephen Guess

and

Eliza Jackson

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Mary White

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and

12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Stephen Guess

Eliza Jackson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 17<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

Suslie Green

Notary Public.

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Appl. #36901

May 11, 1908.

Mary White,  
Vandalia, Mich.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

Ms.

Application No. 36901.

Mary White being first duly sworn deposes and says, I live in Cass Co. Mich. I am 32 years old. I claim my Indian blood thru my mother. Her name was Angeline Harris before marriage and Angeline Peterson after marriage. She died about 5 years ago and was about 78 years old. She was born in Ohio, but afterwards lived in Canada. She claimed to be a half Indian of the Cherokees. She got her Cherokee blood from her father. His name was William Harris. Her mother was a colored woman. I do not know where my grandmother was born. My grandfather Harris died in Canada. I do not know where he was born. I never heard of my mother receiving any money as an Indian. I never heard of her making any claim on account of her Indian blood. She told me that she was part Indian. My husband is not an Indian.

Mary White

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Cassopolis, Mich, this 2d day of Sept. 1908.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

Vandahia Mich

June 23

Mr Honorable Union Miller. 1908.

In reply to your letter. I would  
of answered sooner. But I were  
not to home at the time it came.  
in reply to my application No.

# 36901. I heard my Grand Parents  
speak of being with the Indian  
tribe. but I were quite small  
at that time. and do not remember  
the place. My Grand Parents  
were recognized as Indians in  
the communities that we lived.  
I could not tell why my Parents  
were not enrolled in 1851.

I could not say where they were  
living in 34-and 35.



Vandalia Mich

Mary White.

Oct<sup>th</sup>  
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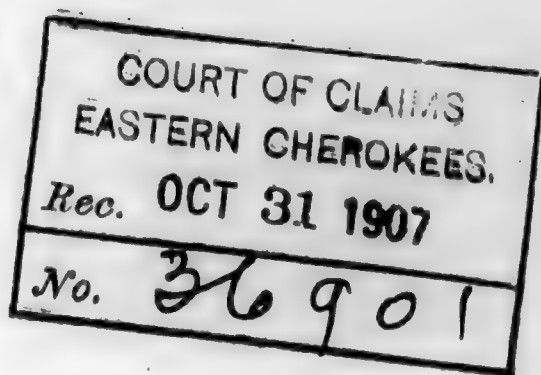
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Special Commissioner

Dear Sir: I thought I would  
write you a few lines. as the  
card you sent me had been  
sent to the wrong place It were  
sent to Britton and Gray City.  
but my adress are Vandalia Mich.  
so I thought I would write to  
you. and see how long you  
thought it would be. before I  
would receive my money from  
My claim. My application No.  
are 36901. so please let me

hear from you soon in  
regards to my claim and oblige.

Mary White.



Vandalia Mich.

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If I can remember rightly  
my friends ~~was~~ or, and  
know to be neither one  
nor the other.

Yours respectfully.

Mary Whit-



No. 36902.

Action: Rejected.

Name Ida Griggs and 3 children. Residence: Chelsea, Okla.

Reasons:

Niece of #19060 and claims through the same source.

36902

No. 36902-4

Name

With No. 19060

Remarks:

Ida Griggs  
Mary A. Blyden  
Jas. Griggs

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**OF**

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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of the same kind. I desire to see a picture of the young girl who was the subject of the letter and to see the letter itself. I have no doubt that the girl was a very good girl and that she was very much loved by her mother. I have no doubt that the girl was a very good girl and that she was very much loved by her mother. I have no doubt that the girl was a very good girl and that she was very much loved by her mother.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**

601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: **Ida Green Griggs**

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office: **Chelsea**

3. County: **Cherokee Nation, T. I.**

4. State: **Ind Ter.**

5. How old are you? **27** Born **Nov 17 1879**

6. Where were you born? **King City MO.**

7. Are you married? **yes**

8. Name and age of wife or husband: **J. A. Griggs**

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? **none**

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<b>Lenora Griggs</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>August 20th 1899</b>
(2)	<b>Claud Green</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>August 1st 1901</b>
(3)	<b>James Green</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>May 24th 1904</b>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

**Hiram Green, Lusiney Green**

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name: **Lusiney Barnes**

12. Where were they born?

Father: **State of N.Y.**

Mother: **State of Iowa.**



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In State of N.Y.

Mother: not borned

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Died July 1st 1893 King City MO.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: None as I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Anna Sexton</u>	<u>Feb 3rd 1882</u>	
	<u>Chelsea I.T.</u>		
(2)	<u>Grace Shepard</u>	<u>August 4th 1884</u>	
(3)	<u>James Green</u>	<u>Feb 16th 1882</u>	
	<u>Chelsea I.T.</u>		
(4)	<u>Lillie Hinkle</u>	<u>April 24th 1889</u>	
	<u>Clide MO.</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

17. Give English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Coles Green

H.G. Barnes

Mary Green

Sarian Barnes.

18. Where were they born? Both Grandfathers in N.Y. Grand mother Barnes in

Iowa and Grand mother Green in Meschovia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

I think in Rosendale

Fair Bankes Iowa, Greens and Barnes ~~Donot know~~

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

~~Donot know~~

(2)	<u>Jessie Barnes</u>	<u>Rosendale MO.</u>
(3)	<u>Lusiney Green</u>	<u>King City MO.</u>
(4)	<u>Lusinda Edelman</u>	<u>Geneca Neb.</u>
(5)	<u>Isabelle Edelman</u>	<u>Chelsea I.T.</u>
(6)	<u>Andrew Barnes.</u>	<u>Mounds City MO.</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

In this application it is desired that the same should be given the attention for the reason that while this party has never been enrolled for any monies, while her great Grandmother Saphrona Barnes, was 1/4 Indian and lived in the state of N.Y. and under this ruling she thinks she should draw this money, I desire to get a hearing of this.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

Ida Griggs

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of August 1907.

David G. Elliott

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 4th 1911

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

W. Maggard, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ida Griggs

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for one years and one years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. Maggard

W. Maggard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

3rd day of August

1907.

My commission expires

June 4

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David G. Elliott

Notary Public.

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App. No. 36902-19060.

Misc.

Ida Griggs, ----- being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Ida Griggs. My age is 29 years. I live in this county. I was born and raised in King City, Mo. I was not enrolled by the Dawes Commission. I did not get the strip money. I get my blood from my mother. Cherokee. My mother is dead. She died in 1892 at King City. She was 32 at her death. She got her blood from her father. My grandfather on mother's side was Henry D. Barnes. He lived at Rosendale, Mo. He was born and raised in New York, I believe. I do not know whether he was enrolled in 1851. If he was not, I do not know the reason why. His mother was Saphronia Barnes. I don't know whether she was enrolled in 1851 or 1835. She came from East to New York. It was throught from Georgia. I do not claim on my father's side. My mothers brothers and sisters were Jess Barnes, lived at Lamar, Mo.; Andrew Barnes, Round City, Mo.; Lucinda Eddelman, Seneca, Neb; Isabel Eddelman, of Chelsea; John Barnes of Garden Grove, Iowa; Vian Castor of Tacoma, Washington; Henry D. Barnes never came to Indian Territory. His sister was Susan Clark of Garden Grove, Iowa; Sophia Lyons, Nebraska; Cynthia Barnes of Iowa Falls, Iowa; I do not know any other relatives of my mother or grandfather other than already given. I do not know whether Henry D. Barnes was a party to the treaty of 1835. I know that my grandmother visited among the Indians. I think they never associated with any other tribe. My father knew my grandmother well and she looked like a full-blood.

*Ida May Griggs*  
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chelsea, Oklahoma, this 5th day of September, 1906.

*A. S. Marine*  
Ass't to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.



No. 36903.

Action: Rejected.

Name Mary Ann Sexton and 3 children. Residence: Chelsea, Okla.

Reasons:

Niece of #19060 and claims through the same source.



No. 36903

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

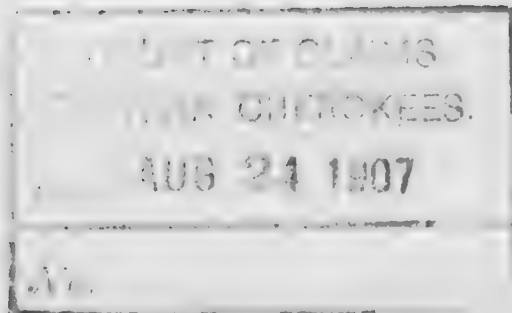
APPLICATION

OF

Mary Ann Sexton

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36903

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Ann Sexton

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Chalapa

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Ind. Ter.

5. How old are you? 25 Born Feb 3rd 1882

6. Where were you born? King City MO.

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Leroy Payne</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Jan 10th 1897</u>
(2)	<u>William Payne</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Feb 6th 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Andrew Sexton</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>March 7th 1904</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Hiram Green and Lusinda Green

Father—English name: Hiram Green

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Lusinda Green

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Lusinda Barnes

12. Where were they born?

Father: State of N.Y.

Mother: State of Iowa

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: State of N.Y.

Mother: not borned

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: liveing

Mother: Died July 1st 1893 King City MO.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians:

None as I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ada Griggs</u> <u>Chelsea I.T.</u>	<u>Nov 17th 1879</u> <u>1881-1882</u>	
(2)	<u>Grace Shepard</u> <u>Ray MO.</u>	<u>August 4th 1884</u>	
(3)	<u>James Green</u> <u>Chelsea I.T.</u>	<u>Feb 16th 1882</u>	
(4)	<u>Lillie Hinkle</u> <u>Clinde MO.</u>	<u>April 24th 1889</u>	
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Coles Green

Mary Green

MOTHER'S SIDE.

H.C. Barnes

Sarian Barnes

18. Where were they born? Both Grandfathers in N.Y. Gran mother Barnes in Iowa Grandmother Green in Noviascova

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~This claimer comes under the same claim as Ida Griggs and while they are Cherokee Indians they have not had the rights they should of had for the reason of them being held out of the country.~~

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

*Mary Ann Sexton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of August 1907.

*David G. Elliott*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 4th, 1911.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*J. W. Boghill*

and

*W. Maggill*

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*Mary Ann Sexton*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for one years and

one years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*J. W. Boghill*

*W. Maggill*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

June 4

1911.

*David G. Elliott*

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JUN 26 1909  
No. 36903

D. G. ELLIOTT  
J. L. HOWARD

NOTARY IN OFFICE

**ELLIOTT & HOWARD**

Attorneys and Counsellors at Law

Attorneys for Rogers County for  
St. Louis & San Francisco R. R.  
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R.

PHONES—Office 77  
Elliott residence 259  
Howard residence 260

CLAREMORE, OKLAHOMA. June 22, 1939.

Mr. Union Miller,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to claim No. 36903, same being Ida  
Briggs of Chelsea, Okla. I have your letter of June 13<sup>th</sup>  
written to them in which you state her claim has been  
rejoined and you state that if they desire to carry the  
matter further it will be necessary to show what accept-  
ances has been taken. In having an appeal and for what  
grounds her claim has been rejoined it is impossible for  
us to make the showing necessary to you and if you will  
send the filing No. in her case as well as in case No.  
36903 435 I will then prepare what papers that is nec-  
essary and send to you.

Yours very truly

*DG Elliott*

DGE/LR

No. 36904.

Action: Rejected.

Name

James Green

and X

children.

Residence: Chelsea, Okla.

Reasons:

Nephew of #19060 and claims through the same source.

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nephew

No. 1004

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

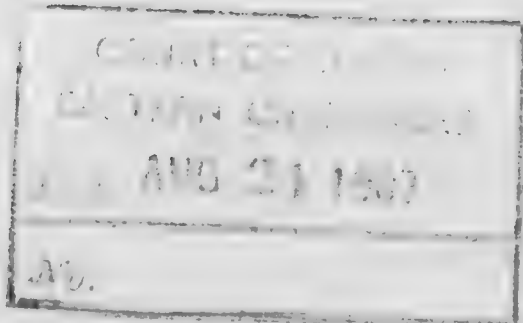
APPLICATION

OF

James Green

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36904



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
**601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James Green

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Chelsea

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Ind Ter.

5. How old are you? 25 Born Feb 16th 1882

6. Where were you born? King City MO.

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Hiram Green

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Lusinda Green

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Lusinda Barnes

12. Where were they born?

Father: State of N.Y.

Mother: State of Iowa,

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: State of N.Y.

Mother: not borned

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Liveing

Mother: died July 1st 1893 King City MO.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ida Briggs</u> <u>Chelsea I.T.</u>	<u>Nov 17th 1879</u>	
(2)	<u>Mary Ann Sexton</u> <u>Chelsea I.T.</u>	<u>Nov 3rd 1882</u>	
(3)	<u>Grace Shepord</u> <u>Ray MO.</u>	<u>August 4th 1884</u>	
(4)	<u>Lillie Hinkle</u> <u>Clide MO.</u>	<u>April 24th 1889</u>	
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Coles Green</u>	<u>H.G. Barnes</u>
<u>Mary Green</u>	<u>Sarah Barnes</u>

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

*James Green*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*3rd*

day of *August* 1907.

*David G. Elliott*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*June 4*, 19*11*.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*J. W. Boghill*

and

*W. Maggad*

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*James Green*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *1* years and

*1* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*J. W. Boghill*

*W. Maggad*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*3rd*

day of *August* 1907.

My commission expires

*June 4*, 19*11*.

*David G. Elliott*

Notary Public.

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or by a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an officer authorized to execute affidavits, or executed before a notary, etc.

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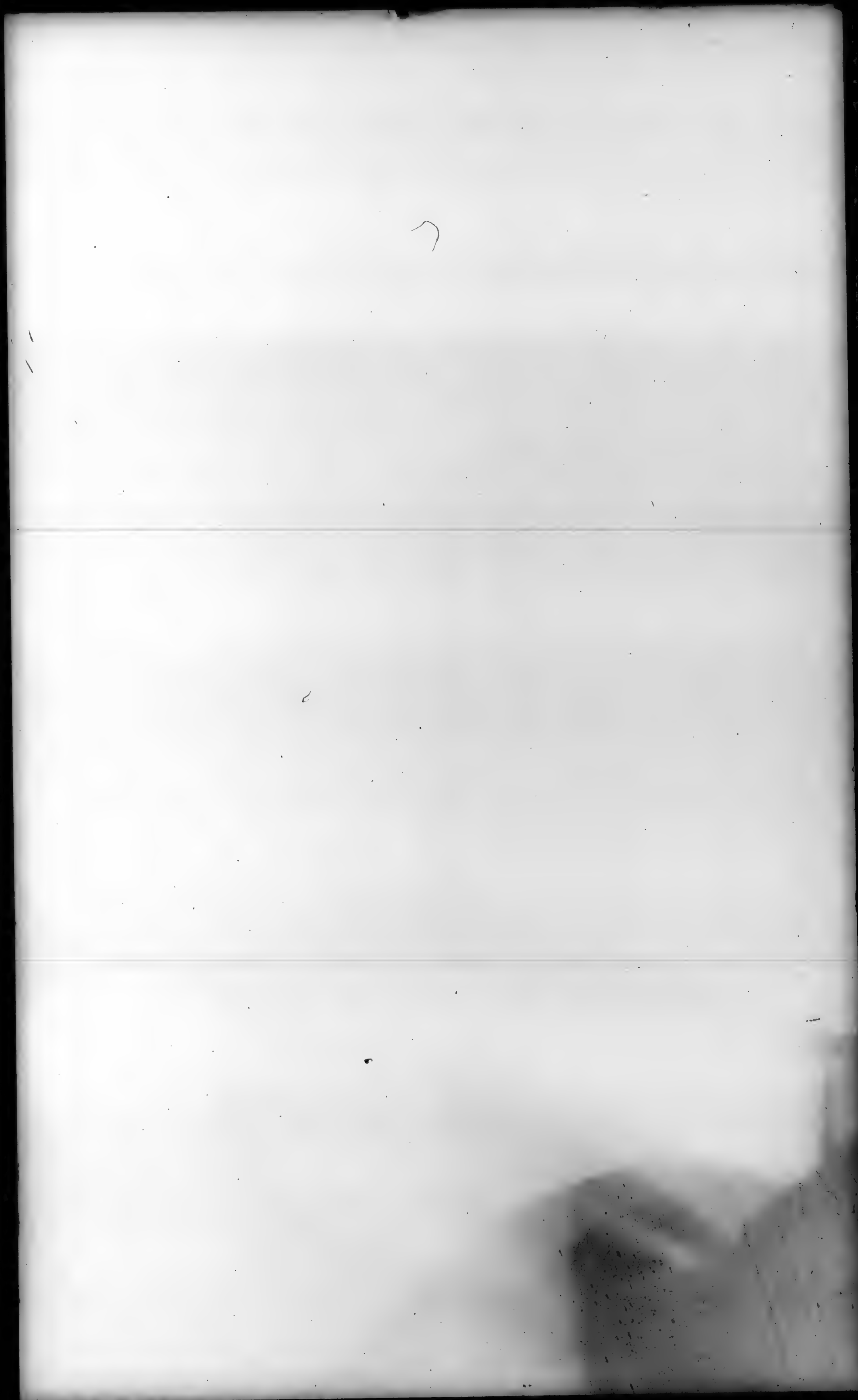
Name

Jennie L. Lake

With No.

36418

Remarks:



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No.

See # 36418

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Jennie L. Lake*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36405

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: **Jennie<sup>L</sup> Eiske**

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: **Chelsea**

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: **Ind. Ter.**

5. How old are you? **19** Born **Feb 18 1889**

6. Where were you born? **Neb. Clay CO. Sutton**

7. Are you married? **Yes**

8. Name and age of wife or husband: **Thomas Eiske**

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

**Brainerd Melman Bell Melman**

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: **Isabell Barnes**

12. Where were they born?

Father: **State of Penn.**

Mother: **State Ill.**



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not borned

Mother:     

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Liveing

Mother: Liveing

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: none

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Georgie Ederman</u> <u>Chelsea I.T.</u>	<u>Aug 26th 1901</u>	<u>liveing</u>
(2)	<u>Wit Ederman</u> <u>Chelsea I.T.</u>	<u>August 12th 1891</u>	<u>liveing</u>
(3)	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>
(4)	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>
(5)	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>
(6)	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>J.L.Edelman</u>	<u>H.G.Barnes</u>
<u>Susan Edelman</u>	<u>Sarah Barnes</u>
<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>
<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>

18. Where were they born? Gran parents Edelman in state of PA/ and  
Grandmother Barnes in State state of Iowa

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?                       
State of Ill, Hand cock CO.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>
(2)	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>
(3)	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>
(4)	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>
(5)	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>
(6)	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....

**none**

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

*Jennie L. Iske*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of August 1907.

*David G. Elliott*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*June 4*

1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me **Birtha Potts**

and **J. W. Bone**

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with **Jennie L. Iske**

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known **her** for **3** years and

**2** years, respectively, and know **her** to be the identical person **she** represents

**herself** to be, and that the statements made by **her** are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in **her** claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Birtha Potts*

*J. W. Bone*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

**June 4th 1911**

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*David G. Elliott*

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COUNT OF LAMPS  
EASTERN CHRONOMETER  
Rec. FEB 10 1968  
No. 36905

JOHN T. EZZARD,  
Chelsea, Okla.

DISTRICT  
Craig and Rogers Counties

36418  
36905

THE FIRST LEGISLATURE  
STATE OF OKLAHOMA  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

~~XXXX Oklahoma XX~~

King City, Mo.

January 20, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller,

601 Ouray Building,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

*James L. Noble*  
I am writing you with reference to my application as an Eastern Cherokee, which was filed sometime last year in your office. I believe the records in your office show that there are two applications on file supposedly executed by me and I am writing to inquire the exact status of the matter as it appears from your records. I only signed one application and I think this was numbered 36418, and it was made out for me by Attorney John T. Ezzard and is the application which I want considered by you with reference to my share of the Eastern Cherokee payments. I have been informed that another attorney, D. C. Elliott by name forwarded to your office an application supposed to have been executed by me and I think the number of this application is probably No. 36905 and I write to inform you that if such an application is on file in your office it is without authority from me and I am quite sure that I only signed the one application made in the office of Attorney John T. Ezzard, Chelsea, Oklahoma as above referred to. Please write and let me know if there are two applications filed there in my name and if so, I want to request that the one which was sent to you without my consent be destroyed <sup>or returned</sup> and not considered by you.

Awaiting your early reply, I am,

Yours respectfully, *James L. Noble*



App. No. 36418.

February 14, 1908.

Jennie T. Iske.

King City,

Missouri.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of January 20, 1908, you are advised that you have two applications on file in this office, and both appear to have been signed by the same person.

Your first application, No. 36418, was filed by your attorney, J. F. Hazard, of Chelsea, Indian Territory, and the second application, No. 36805, does not appear to have been filed by any attorney, although the signature was acknowledged before David C. Elliott, on the 10th day of August 1907.

However, the fact that you have two applications on file does not affect your claim in any way, and the applications will be taken up in their regular order and considered.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

No. 36906.

Action: Rejected.

Name Elihue Jasper Good and 2 children. Residence: Joplin, Mo.

Reasons:

Brother of #35119 and claims through the same source.

No. 36906-9

Name

With No. 36882

Remarks:

Electric, Ltd.  
Bristol & Wacker  
McC. 7th Series  
Edward Melton

*Letter # 35119.*

No. 35119

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

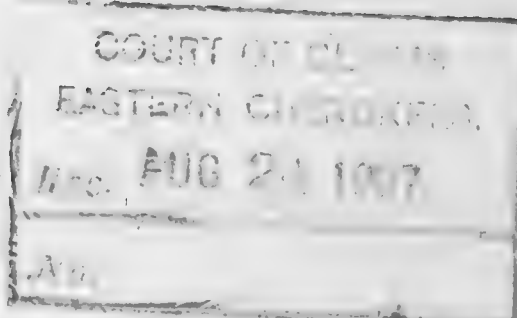
APPLICATION

OF

*Estimé Jaspes, Tract*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36906

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	William Good	29	June 30 1878
(2)	Bertha Bell Good	23	June 5 1884
(3)	Edna Bell Good	21	Feb 1 1886
(4)	Arden Jessie Good	17	Oct 25 1889
(5)	Bonnie Pearl Good	14	July 12 1893
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: year abt 1889

Mother: may 1870

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Hanna Elisa Good	Dec 31 1847	
	Kuenwig mo		
(2)	Sarah Good	Jan 11 1851	
	Ben		
	Martha Good	Date unknown	
	Joseph Bankton Good	Oct 31 1859	
	John Good	Nov 18 1851	
	Andrew Good	year abt 1853	
(5)	Samuel Good	abt 1839	
(6)	William Good	Date unknown	
	Mary Good	Date unknown	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Neddie Good	Samuel Haney
Neddie Good	+
Mary Good	Martha Haney
+	+

18. Where were they born? Middle Tennessee Both sides

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina  
Both sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Samuel Good	Samuel Haney
(2)	Bessie Good	Charles Haney
(3)	William Good	Martha Haney
(4)		Mary Haney
(5)		Hanna Haney
(6)		

Ben  
Martha Good Date unknown  
Joseph Bankton Good Oct 31 1854  
John H Good Nov 18 1851  
Gauden H Good year of 1853

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19

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16.

Ben  
Martha Good Date unknown  
Joseph Frankton Good Oct 31 1854  
John R Good Nov 18 1851  
Landen D Good year of 1853

17. State

18. Where

19. Where

20. Give name

- (1)
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)
- (5)
- (6)



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: years at 1889

Mother: may 1870

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Hanna Elisa Goad	Dec 31 1847	
	Wrenwig	no	

(2)	Sarah Goad	Feb 15 1836	
	St Val	no	

(3)	Myrie Goad	Date unknown	
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(4)	Tamas Goad	may 18 37	
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(5)	Samuel Goad	alt 18 39	
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(6)	William Goad	Date unknown	
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	Mary Goad	Date unknown	
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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Neddie Goad	Samuel Haney
Neddie Goad	+
Mary Goad	Martha Haney
+	+

18. Where were they born? Middle Tennessee Both sides

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina  
Both Sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Samuel Goad	Samuel Haney
(2)	Bessie Goad	Charles Haney
(3)	William Goad	Martha Haney
(4)		Mary Haney
(5)		no Hanna Haney
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: MO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father William Good Grand father Meddie Good

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

Elihu Jasper Good

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Heron

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Ed Portley

and Louis F. Peters, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Elihu Jasper Good

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and

27 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ed Portley

Louis F. Peters

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

May 26

Byron H. Heron

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian serv.

before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before and not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. NOV 5 1907 No. 36906
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Respectfully yours,  
Mrs. Martha A. Good.  
Joplin,  
Mo.

Joplin, Mo.,  
Nov. 1, 1907  
Special Commissioner of Court  
of Claims,  
Wash. D.C.

Dear Sir:—I will  
drop you a few lines to see  
if I could get any informa-  
tion in regard to my applica-  
tion. It was Mrs. Martha  
Alice Tucker, wife of Mr.  
269<sup>2</sup> Eliahugh Jasper Good. The  
lawyer said it was sent  
with the Good's application.

They received their numbers  
I have never received no number  
Please let me know whether  
you have looked my head  
right up or not, or whether  
it was acknowledged by the  
Court or not.

And one more thing my  
husband and children received  
their Nos. If I understand  
right their applications are  
on file Nos 36906 and ect.  
And they will draw when  
you get to their Nos.  
If it has to go through any  
more process please let me  
know, if not about when  
will the claims be settled



App. #36906.

November 5, 1907.

Mrs. Martha A. Good,  
Joplin,  
Missouri.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of November 1, 1907, you are advised that you do not appear to have any application on file.

Your husband, Elihue Jasper Good, has an application on file, but this application will not be sufficient for your claim.

It is now too late to file applications for adults, as will more fully appear from the inclosed circular letter.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

No. 36907.

Action: Rejected.

Name Bertha Bell Walker and 1 children. Residence: Joplin, Mo.

Reasons:

Niece of #35119 and claims through the same source.

Price of \$25.119

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

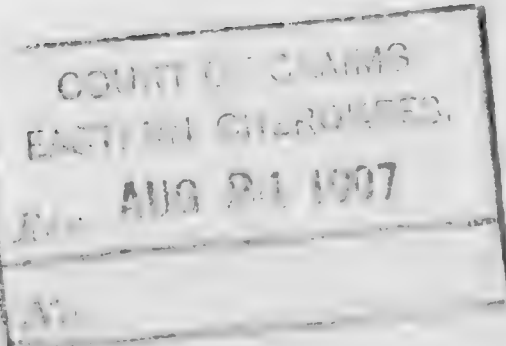
APPLICATION

OF

*Burtha Bell Walker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Bertha Bell Walker

Indian name: Bertha Bell Good

2. Residence and post office: Jasper

3. County: Jasper

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 23 Born June 5 1884

6. Where were you born? Jasper Co. Mo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Walker age 34

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Effie May Walker</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Sept 28 1904</u> <u>too late</u>
(2)	<u>Redie William Walker</u>		<u>Feb 1 1907</u> <u>late</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Elihu Jasper Good

Indian name: Elihu Jasper Good

Mother—English name: Martha Alice Good

Indian name: Martha Alice Tucker

Maiden name: Martha Alice Tucker

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: Washington Co Iowa



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: *no*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Fellie May Goad	June 30 1878	
	Japhin mo		
(2)	Eng Dell Goad	Feb 11 1886	
	Japhin mo		
(3)	Arden Jessie Goad	Oct 25 1889	
	Japhin mo		
(4)	Bannie Pearl Goad	July 12 1893	
	Japhin mo		
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Goad	Salaman Gulker
William Goad	Salaman Gulker
Mary Goad	Allie Gulker
+	+

18. Where were they born? *Middle Tennessee North Carolina*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

*North Carolina Both sides*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Hanna Goad	Mary Elizabeth Gulker
(2)	Isiah Goad	Emily Jane Gulker
(3)	Myrie Goad	Elizabeth Gulker
(4)	Thomas Goad	John F. Gulker
(5)	Samuel Goad	James W. Gulker
(6)	William Goad	Sarah Isabella Gulker
	Mary Goad	Martha Allie Gulker
	Elizabeth Goad	
	Morris Goad	
	John Goad	
	Landan Goad	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father Elikne Jasper  
Good Grand father William Good  
Great Grand father Neddie Good

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my Grand father John Gulkes  
and Great Grand father John Gulkes  
on my mother's side was an Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Bertha Belle Walker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Heron  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. S. Spyrer  
and C. C. Allen, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Bertha Belle Walker  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and  
6 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. S. Spyrer  
C. C. Allen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 26, 1908.

Byron H. Heron  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36908

Action: Rejected.

Name Nellie May Serviss

and 1 children.

Residence: Joplin, Mo.

Reasons:

Niece of #35119 and claims through the same source.

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Price of # 35.19.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

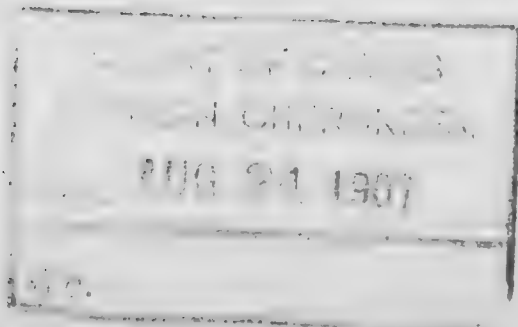
APPLICATION

OF

*William May, Lewis*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ellie May Serviss

Indian name: Ellie May Good

2. Residence and post office: Jasper

3. County: Jasper

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 29 Born June 30 1878

6. Where were you born? Jasper Mo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Melven Serviss age 30

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mildred Pearl Serviss</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Mar 3 1904</u>
(2)	<u>Bella Irene Serviss</u>		<u>Feb 4 1907</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Elihu Jasper Good

Indian name: Elihu Jasper Good

Mother—English name: Martha Allie Good

Indian name: Martha Allie Tucker

Maiden name: Martha Allie Tucker

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: Washington Co Iowa



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father Elihu Jaspes  
Good Grand William Good Great Grand  
father Meddie Good

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my Grand father Salaman Tulkey  
and Great Grand father Amas Tulkey  
on my mother side was Cherokee  
Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Nellie May Serviss)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Croom  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. S. Spures  
and C. C. Allen, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Nellie May Serviss  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and  
6 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. S. Spures  
C. C. Allen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

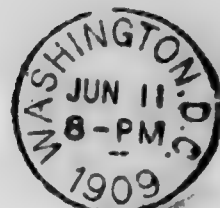
May 26, 1908. Byron H. Croom  
Notary Public.

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If not called for in 15 days, return to  
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

Nellie M. Jervis  
Joplin Mo

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36908, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 36909.

Action: Rejected.

Name Edna Dell Welton

and X

children.

Residence: Joplin, Mo.

Reasons:

Niece of #35119 and claims through the same source.

36909

File # 35119

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Eina. D. L. Welton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Edna Dell Wellman

Indian name:

Edna Dell Good

2. Residence and post office:

Joplin

3. County:

Jasper

4. State:

Missouri

5. How old are you?

21

Born

Sept 1 1886

6. Where were you born?

Jasper Mo

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Ray Wellman age 22

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Leah Jasper Good

Indian name:

Leah Jasper Good

Mother—English name:

Martha Allie Good

Indian name:

Martha Allie Tucker

Maiden name:

Martha Allie Tucker

12. Where were they born?

Father:

North Carolina

Mother:

Washington Geo Iowa



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Willie May Good	June 30 1878	
	Opheia mo		
(2)	Bertha Bell Good	June 5 1884	
	Opheia mo		
(3)	Arden Jessie Good	alt 25 1889	
	Opheia mo		
(4)	Bonnie Pearl Good	July 12 1893	
	Opheia mo		
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Good	Salman Gulkes
William Good	Salman Gulkes
Mary Good	Willie Gulkes

18. Where were they born? middle Tennessee North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

North Carolina Bath sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Anna Lisa Good	Martha Alice Gulkes
(2)	Sarah Good	Mary Elizabeth Gulkes
(3)	Morris Good	Pauline Gulkes
(4)	Thomas Good	Agatha Gulkes
(5)	Samuel Good	John Gulkes
(6)	William Good	Frankie Bell Gulkes
	Mary Good	
	Elizabeth Good	
	Martha Good	
	John Good	
	Arden Good	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: MO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father E. L. Hine Jasper  
Good Grand father William Good  
Great Grand father Reddie Good

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

on my mothers side my Grand father  
Solomon Stucker and Grand father  
Amos Stucker was a Cherokee  
Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Edna Dell Welton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Brown  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. B. Spyer

and

C. C. Allen

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Edna Dell Welton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. B. Spyer  
C. C. Allen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 26, 1908.

Byron H. Brown  
Notary Public.

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No. 36910 Action: Refest  
Name: Georgia L. Martin and X children. Residence: McFall, Ala.

Reasons:

Son of Mary S. A. Smith (32624) and claims  
through her.

36910

\*32624  
\*34556  
\*36911-16-17  
\*31-112-3

No. 33010

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION  
OF

*Georgia L. Martin*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Atty General*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	No children		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William H. Smith		
(2)	John C. Smith		
(3)	James M. Smith		
(4)	Marshall A. Smith		
(5)	Walter L. Smith		
(6)	Esque Smith		
	Millard A. Smith		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
No Indian ancestry on my Father's side	Jacob Goldstein Ellen Goldstein through him, by my mother & Cloirn

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Don't know	
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Elliett Jacob Goldstein

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a daughter of Mary Sarah  
Agall Smith

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Soria Lou Martin  
(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

E D McElm  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

24<sup>th</sup> March, 1908

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me M. G. Harris  
and Lee Whalley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Virginia L. Martin  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

M. G. Harris  
Lee Whalley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

24<sup>th</sup> March, 1908. E D McElm  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.







# Power of Attorney

The State of Alabama,  
Calhoun - county

Know all  
men by these presents, That we,  
Gasper Marion Smith, and  
Georgia L. Smith,  
have constituted and appointed,  
and by these presents do make,  
constitute and appoint,  
Ben Kerr, attorney of Piedmont,  
Ala. our true and lawful  
attorney, for us, and in our  
names, places, stead and  
behalf, to prosecute for us in  
the Office of Indian Affairs, or  
before any Court or Com-  
missioner having juris-  
diction of Eastern Cherokee In-  
dian claims, or in the Depart-  
ment of the Interior, or before any  
Department or Committee  
of Congress, of the United States  
of America until final comple-  
tion for us, and for our minor  
children, our claims as an  
Eastern Cherokee Indians  
for money or lands due from the  
(ever)

Government of the United States of  
America to Eastern Cherokee  
Indians, or their descendants  
or heirs; and T. Ben Kerr, our  
attorney, has authority to do and  
perform all and every act and  
thing whatsoever requisite  
and necessary to be done  
in and about the premises as  
fully to all intents and purposes  
as our righter could do if personally  
present at the doing thereof; and T.  
Ben Kerr, our attorney is  
hereby given authority to  
receive into his possession  
(and we direct that all payments  
and remittances be made  
or sent to T. Ben Kerr, but  
to no one else) from the Govern-  
ment of the United States of America,  
or its agents, all drafts, checks,  
vouchers, warrants and  
money is sold in settlement  
of our said Indian claims;  
and T. Ben Kerr, our attorney,  
is given authority by us to sign  
our names to all checks, war-  
rants, vouchers, drafts and  
receipts and all other papers



papers in the execution  
and settlement of our said  
the paper Indian claims.  
We hereby certify and confirm  
all that G. D. Kerr shall  
do or cause to be done in our  
Indian claims. Send all your  
mail to Piedmont, Ala. in  
care of G. D. Kerr.

In Testimony Whereof  
we hereunto set our  
hands and seals on this  
27th day of August, 1907.  
Cager and Smith  
George D. Kerr

attest  
Edw. C. Kerr

The State of Alabama }  
Calhoun County }  
Be it  
known that on this the  
27th day of August, nineteen  
hundred and seven, before  
me, the undersigned, a Notary  
Public in and for said State  
& County personally  
appeared Cager Marion  
Smith & George D. Kerr

No. 36911

Action: Refut

Name Cager Marion Smith and 2 children. Residence: McKell, Ala.

Reasons:

Son of Mary S. A. Smith (32624) and claims  
through her.

36911



No. 36910-11

Name

With No. 32624

Remarks:

Georgia L. Martin  
Caper. M. Smith

# 32624

# 34356

# 36918-16-1

# 36918-16-3

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

### APPLICATION

OF

*Eager M. Smith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Brandenburg & Brandenburg*  
*city*

BRANDENBURG & BRANDENBURG  
CITY, MISSISSIPPI  
AUG 24 1907

No. \_\_\_\_\_

*J. B. Kerr*

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*Wm. D. Hedgcock Ala.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Luna Dewey Smith	8,	March 1898
(2)	Rosa Lee Smith	6	Jan. 17, 1901
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born then

Mother: Not born then

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living.

Mother: Living, and has filed her Application

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William H. Smith</u>		
(2)	<u>John C. Smith</u>		
(3)	<u>James W. Smith</u>		
(4)	<u>Mardell A. Smith</u>		
(5)	<u>Mrs. George L. Martin</u>		
(6)	<u>Mallard A. Smith</u>		
	<u>Nallach L. Smith</u>		
	<u>Coppe Smith</u>		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

No Indian ancestry  
on my Father's side.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jacob Geldsten  
Ellis T. and it is through  
him (my mother) that I claim  
bequest Cherokee Indian

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Don't know

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Elliot Jacob Goldstein

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a son of Mary Sarah  
Agall Smith

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Deann Ann Smith  
(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August, 1907.

Ed M. Cullen

Notary Public.

My commission expires

24 March, 1908

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. C. Harris

and Lee Whalley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Bager Marion Smith

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Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. C. Harris

Lee Whalley

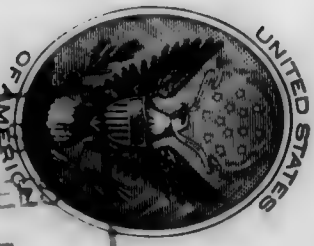
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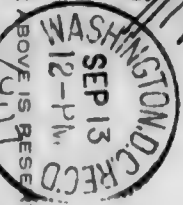
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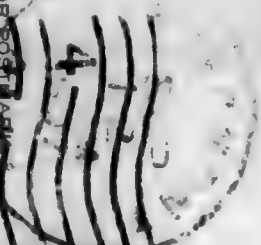
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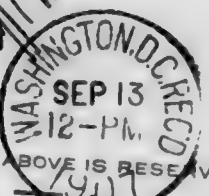
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Piedmont, Ala. 9/12/1907.  
Sir: Is No. 36911 intended for  
Cager M. Smith? The card  
bearing that number is ad-  
dressed to "~~Casper A. Smith~~"  
who is not a client of mine. What  
is Cager M. Smith's number?  
Respectfully,  
J. D. W. Kerr, atty



No. 36912 Action: Refret  
Name Charles Henry Wagoner and 3 children. Residence: Joplin, Missouri.

Reasons:

Cousin of G. H. Gordon (36271) and son of  
Sarah Emaline Wagoner (36914)

Field 4400. 3  
No. 36912

Name Charles H. Wagner

With No.

3627  
Jasper Co

Remarks:

Nos. 36913-14, 42931  
grouped here with.

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at Carlhage  
Aug.  
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*concord*

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

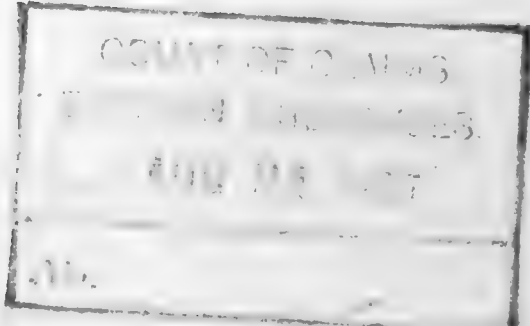
APPLICATION

OF

*Charles Henry Wagner*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*36412*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Grace Reatha wagner	8	Nov 13 1898
(2)	Ida Clark wagner	6	Dec 30 1900
(3)	Hallie May wagner	4	May 21 1903
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb 11 1906

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Rachel Ellen wagner	June 1873	
	Joplin mo		
(2)	Jennie Josephine wagner	Jan 10 1880	
	Joplin mo		
(3)	David Martin wagner	Jan 3 1883	
	Joplin mo		
(4)	Earnest Hampton wagner	Aug 1888	
	Joplin mo		
(5)	Alford Munroe wagner	April 5 1892	
	Joplin mo		
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Henry wagner  
+

Bengman Hampton marris  
+

Elizabeth wagner  
amelie marris  
amelie wood

18. Where were they born? Pennsylvania & Kentucky & middle Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? 1 Cole also mo  
Pennsylvania

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jess wagner	Saley Emiline marris
(2)	Martin wagner	Mary marris
(3)	Alb wagner	Johnathan marris
(4)	John wagner	Richard marris
(5)	Martha wagner	Josephine marris
(6)	Henry wagner	Philip marris
		Howard marris

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother Saley Emiline

Wagner Saley Emiline Wood Grand mother  
amelie morris amellie wood

Great Grand father apilsan wood  
Great Great Grand father Ephraim

(im.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Charles Henry Wagner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

Byron H. Heron

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

S. D. Owens

and

Walter Simpson

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Charles Henry Wagner

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

for 11 years and

17 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. D. Owens

Walter Simpson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911.

Byron H. Heron

Notary Public.

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Great Grand father apilsan wood  
Great Great Grand father Ephrim  
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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mothers Saley Emiline  
Wagner Saley Emiline Wood Grandmothers  
amelie morris amellie wood

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Charles Henry Wagner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

Byron H. Heron

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911.

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Appl. #36912

May 11, 1908.

Charlie E. Wagner,  
Joplin, Mo.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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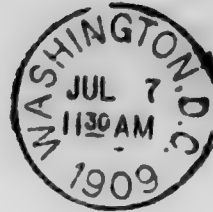
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Charley H. Hagoner*  
*Joplin, Mo.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36912, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~No~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 36913

Action: *Repet.*

Name *Rachel Ellen Reinhardt* and *2* children. Residence: *Joplin, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Cousin to G.H. Gordon (36271) and daughter of Sarah Emeline Wagoner (36914)*

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No. 36915-4.

Name .....

With No. 36912

Remarks:

Rachel E. Reinhardt  
Salay E. Wagner.

*20/1/19*

No. 36919

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Rachel Ellen Reinhart*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 O'ray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Bessie Reinhardt	14	Feb 8 1893
(2)	Abbie Reinhardt	11	Aug 23 1895
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb 11 1906

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Charles Henry Wagner	Mar 3 1876	
	Japhin	mo	
(2)	Jennie Josephine Wagner	Jan 10 1880	
	Japhin	mo	
(3)	David Martin Wagner	Jan 3 1883	
	Japhin	mo	
(4)	Ernest Hamton Wagner	Aug 1888	
	Japhin	mo	
(5)	Alford Munroe Wagner	April 5 1892	
	Japhin	mo	
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Henry Wagner	Bengman Hampton Morris
Elizabeth Wagner	Amelia Mary
	Amelia Wood

18. Where were they born? Pennsylvania Kentucky middle Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cal Co MO  
Pennsylvania

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Les Wagner	Sally Emiline Morris
(2)	Martin Wagner	Mary Morris
(3)	Alb Wagner	Jamethan Morris
(4)	John Wagner	Richard Morris
(5)	Martha Wagner	Josephine Morris
(6)	Henry Wagner	Philip Morris
		Howard Morris

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother Sally Emiline  
Wagner Sally Emiline Wood Grand mother  
amelie morris amelie wood Great  
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Great Great Grand father Ephrim  
wood

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Rachel Ellen Reinhardt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Herson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Selina Dandredg Owens  
and Lavesta Simpson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Rachel Ellen Reinhardt  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and  
12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Selina Dandredg Owens  
Lavesta Simpson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911. Byron H. Herson  
Notary Public.

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mothers Soley Emiline  
Wagner Soley Emiline Wood Grand mothers  
amelie Morris amelie Wood Great

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Rachel Ellen Reinhardt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Herr  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 24, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

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knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Selina Dandredg Owens  
Lavesta Simpson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

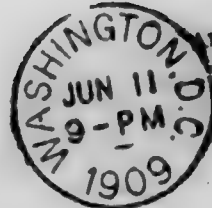
My commission expires

May 24, 1911. Byron H. Herr  
Notary Public.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Rachel E. Reinhart,  
Joplin, Mo.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36913, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

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Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

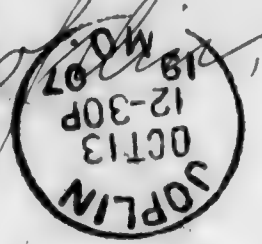


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*Packer Ellen Reinhardt,*



*Mo*

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT**

601 OURAY BUILDING

Washington, D. C., 9/9, 1907

Receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees is hereby acknowledged. It has been filed as application No. 36913, and will be considered in its order.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above, and be addressed to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

GUION MILLER,  
*Special Commissioner.*

No. 36914

Action: Refect

Name Sarah Emaline Wagner and 2 children. Residence: Joplin, Missouri

Reasons:

Aunt of L.H. Gordon (36271) and claims  
through same line.

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No. 36914

Name Sally Cornelia Wagner

With No. 36271

Remarks:

Ex. Title



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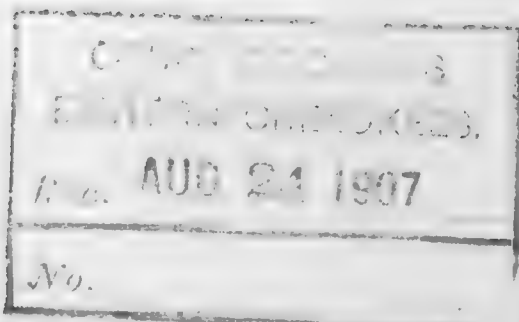
APPLICATION

OF

*Stacy Emiline Wagner*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Julia Emiline Wagner

Indian name: Aster Emiline Ward

2. Residence and post office: Levin 931 1/2 merphue st

3. County: Wagner

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 54 years Born Jan 4 1853

6. Where were you born? Waverle Mo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ernan Wagner

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Rachel Ellen Wagner	34	June 1873
(2)	Charles H. Wagner	30	Oct 3 1876
(3)	Jennie Josephine Wagner	27	Jan 10 1880
(4)	Pauline Matine Wagner	24	Jan 3 1883
(5)	Ernest Nathan Wagner	18	Aug 1888
(6)	Alfred Munroe Wagner	15	April 5 1892

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Burgess Hampton Morris

Indian name: X

Mother—English name: Amelie Morris

Indian name: Amelie Ward

Maiden name: Amelie Ward

12. Where were they born?

Father: Kentucky

Mother: Middle Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Seale Geo MO

Mother: Seale Geo MO

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: Dates of death unknown

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: MO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Morris	Date unknown	Feb 22 1906
	Calina		
(2)	Penelope Mary	Date unknown	Date unknown
(3)	Richard <del>Maris</del>	Date unknown	
(4)	Josephine Mary	March 30 1850	March 8 1902
	Genevieve		
(5)	Philip Morris	Aug 1852	Died in 1880
	Califarna		
(6)	Hannah Morris	Date unknown	Jan 1873
	Melton Geo MO		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Richard Morris	Aileen Wood
	Abigail Wood
John Morris	Emily Wood

18. Where were they born? Kentucky middle Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Seale Geo MO

Both Sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible

(1)	Stanley Morris	John Wood
(2)	John Morris	Emiline Wood
(3)	Johnita Morris	Melinda Wood
(4)	Gene Morris	Emilie Wood
(5)	Frank Morris	
(6)	Bengeman Morris	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother Amelie Morris  
Amelie Wood Grand father A. Wilson Wood  
Great Grand father Chrim Wood.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sally Emilie Wagner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Leroy  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

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Personally appeared before me Helina D. Owens  
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who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and  
12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Helina D. Owens  
Lavesta Simpson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 26, 1911. Byron H. Leroy  
Notary Public.

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No. 36271.

May 29, 1908.

George H. Gordan,

Prosperity, Mo.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Did they ever live with the Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe? Were they admitted to tribal councils?

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a payment to the Cherokees? If so, give, their names and state when and where they were paid.

Were your parents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COUNTY OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 11 1908  
No. 36371.

Prosperity Mo June 4 1908  
Mrs Grian Miller sis

in Relative to your enquiry of  
affiliation # 36271 of The  
Eastern Cherokee the reason  
why my Parents as Grand Parents  
was not enrolled in 1851 ~~was~~  
they was separated from the  
Eastern Cherokees when they  
was drove out of Tennessee  
they was Relinquished at Cherokees  
when they lived in Tennessee  
now of my Parents was ever  
stated

Yours Truly

George H. Gordon

HWN

No. ~~36912~~ 36914. (36912)

Sarah Emaline Wagner, being first duly sworn and  
examined, deposes and says:

My name is Sarah Emaline Wagner: I was born in  
Cole Co., Mo., 1853; I claim my Indian blood through my mother;  
I make no claim of Indian blood through my father; my mother  
was born in Middle Tenn.: I do not know the county;  
I think it was near Memphis, Tenn.; my mother was born in 1821;  
my mother claimed her Indian through both her parents; my grand-  
father through whom I claim was born in N. C.: I do not know  
the county: he died in 1857 in Cole Co., Mo.: he came to  
Cole Co., Mo., July 1836: my grandmother through whom I claim  
was born near Memphis, Tenn.: in 1835 my mother and her parents  
were living near Memphis, Tenn.: in 1851 my mother and her parents  
were living in Cole Co., Mo.: neither I nor any of the ancestors  
through whom I claim were ever enrolled and never received  
any money or land that I know of: my grandparents lived with the  
Cherokees as members of the tribe in Tenn.: ~~xxxxxx~~ they lived  
with them near Memphis, Tenn.: my mother lived with the Indians  
as a member of the tribe before she came to Missouri, that was  
in Tenn. near Memphis: my grandparents were half blood Cherokees.  
George Henry Gordon, #36271, is my nephew: his mother, Josephine  
Morris, was my sister.

Sarah Emaline Wagner

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me, at Carthage, Mo.,  
this 27th day of August, 1908.

F. A. C.  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.



K.C.B.

No. 36915.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Velina D. Owens,* and — children. Residence: *Joplin, Mo.*

Reasons:

#36915. *Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. Does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee domain in 1835-6 + 1846, as recognized members of the tribe. Claims through father, who was living in Va. in 1835 + 6. See letter filed herein, marked "Ex. A."*

*(Adj. by K.C. Black)*

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No. 36915

Rej

Name Velina K. Owens

With No. ....

Remarks:

Nos. 38459, 38463,  
grouped beneath.

that are rolls.

Rejected.

Applicant's father this  
whose claim is made <sup>over</sup> ~~and~~  
born in Va. & resided in  
Richmond Va. in 1845.  
has enrolled & recognized  
as such.

No 36915

Applicant or  
ancestor were  
never enrolled or  
not appear that they  
were living within  
the limits of the Cherokee  
Domain in 1835-6+

1846 as recognized  
members of the tribe of  
claims these father  
who was living in  
Va in 1835-65

See letter filed herein  
marked "Ex A"

No. 36915

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

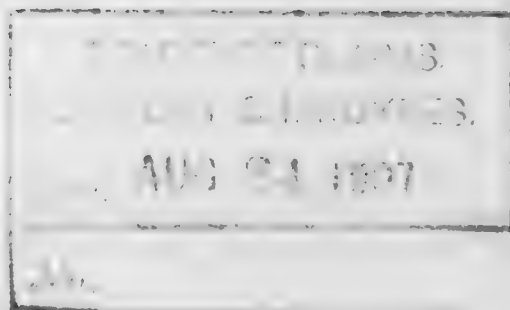
APPLICATION

OF

*Helina Dandredge Owens*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36915



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Selina Dandredge Owens

Indian name: Selina Dandredge Wade

2. Residence and post office: Box 931 Murphy av

3. County: Adair

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 55 Born Jan 12 1852

6. Where were you born? McClain Co Okl

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Andrew Jackson Owens age 51

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>John James Owens</u>	<u>2.7</u>	<u>Aug 27 1879</u>
(2)	<u>Manuel Lill Owens</u>	<u>2.6</u>	<u>Nov 31 1881</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Joseph W Jeffries

Indian name: Joseph W Wade

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Jeffries

Indian name: X

Maiden name: Mary Ann Jackson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Shesheena

Mother: Middle Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: McClellan Geo J H

Mother: McClellan Geo J H

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Date unknown

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Julius Jeffries	year of 1847	late unknown

	Susan Roseman Jeffries	Born late unknown	1854
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	Verana May Jeffries	unknown	1856
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	Wade Butler Jeffries	unknown	1858
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(4)	unknown		
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(5)	Permelia Ann Jeffries	year of 1860	
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(6)	Margaret Ellen Jeffries	year of 1863	
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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Joseph Jeffries  
+

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Andrew Walker  
+

Permelia Ann Jeffries Susan Walker  
Permelia Ann Wide

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not living  
Both sides

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Armines Jeffries	William Walker
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(2)	Levy Jeffries	John Walker
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(3)	Helina Jeffries	May Walker
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(4)	John Jeffries	Susan Walker
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(5)	Joseph W Jeffries	Metilda Walker
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(6)		
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*Verana may Jeffries unknown*  
*Wade Butler Jeffries unknown*

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Father: McCain Geo J

Mother: McCain Geo J

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Date unknown

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

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(2)	Margena Jeffries	Feb 20 1854	
(3)	Joseph H. Jeffries	year of 1856	
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(5)	Permelia Ann Jeffries	year of 1860	
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Permelia Ann Wide	

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19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not living  
Both sides

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(2)	Levy Jeffries	John Jackson
(3)	Selina Jeffries	May Jackson
(4)	John Jeffries	Susan Jackson
(5)	Joseph W. Jeffries	Metilda Jackson
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father Joseph W Jeffries  
Joseph W Wade and mother Pamela  
Ann Jeffries Pamela Ann Wade

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Velina Dandredge Owens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Cron  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1901.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Sallie E. Wagner

and Ella R. Reinhardt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Velina Dandredge Owens

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Sallie E. Wagner  
Ella R. Reinhardt

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My commission expires

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Appl. #36915

May 11, 1908.

Valina D. Owens,  
931 Murphy Ave.,  
Joplin, Mo.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 18 1908  
*No.*



26915  
Union Miller, *MS* Poplar Mo.  
Sir (May the 16 1903)

In answer to the questions you asked concerning my Indian blood why were my grandparents not enrolled in 1851. They had long since been dead in 1852 I was borned my father was 45 years old when he married my mother my father was of a growing nature which accounts for my not knowing my relatives. All the information I can give you is what I have heard my father say that his mother was a threequarter Cherokee Indian and his father was French and Indian his mother's name before she married my grand father was Pamela Wade. My grandfathers name was Joseph Miller my father <sup>was</sup> borned in Virginia I believe in 1807. if I have not forgotten he was twice married and raised a large family before he

married my mother all of these  
older children now being Dead  
my father is Dead also my father  
Died about 24 or 25 years ago  
somewhere about 80 years old

So you see it very hard  
for me to give you any clear  
information

farther than what  
I have heard my father say  
my grandmother was threequarter  
Guardian of the Cherokee tribe residing  
with the tribe

grandfather was part Indian  
but of what tribe I have forgotten  
if my father ever told me

this is the best information  
I can give you

Helina L. Owens

223 Virginia Ave  
Joplin Mo.

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Appl. #36915

May 19, 1908.

Selma D. Owens,  
931 Murphy Ave.,  
Joplin, Mo.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state where your father was living in 1864-65.

If your father or mother was a slave, please state whether a slave of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES Rec. MAY 25 1908 No.
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30915  
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May the 22  
1908

Mr. Guion Miller

Sir. in answer to  
Those questions my father  
was in Richmond Virginia  
in 1834 & 1835. then a  
Boy about 12 years old

My father was a white  
man no negro blood in  
his in his veins

father was never a slave

my fathers Mother was  
three quarter Cherokee Indian

my father was borned  
in Virginia and

lived in Virginia.  
untill he was 25 near  
Richmond.

Respectfully Yours  
Selina D Owens.  
931 Murphy Ave Joplin  
Mo

No. 26916  
Name Noah L. Medders and 5 children. Action: Reprob  
Residence: Anniston, Ala.  
Route 11  
Reasons:

Nephew to Mary S. A. Smith (32624)

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No. 36916-17.

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With No. 32624

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

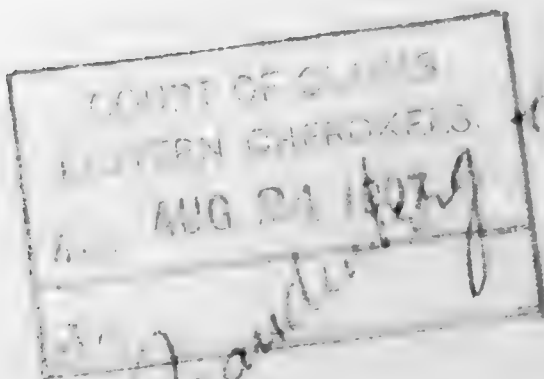
APPLICATION

OF

Noah L. Medley

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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D. B. Kerr  
Atty - Piedmont Ala

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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*Ala*

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*Atty - Prattville Ala*

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1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Glora Medders	8	
(2)	Ester Medders	6	
(3)	Flo Medders	4	
(4)	Dillard Medders	2	
(5)	Odys Medders	1	
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Don't know  
Mother: Don't know { Stinking Miss.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living  
Mother: Living and has filed her Application

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
<u>Mrs. Adg E. Stonecypher</u>		
<u>Mrs. D. Artiney Deener</u>		
(2) <u>James C. Medders</u>		
<u>Calamus Day Medders</u>		
(3) <u>King C. Medders</u>		
<u>Mrs. Mary Stonecypher</u>		
<u>Chim C. Medders</u>		
<u>Shelly B. Medders</u>		
(5) <u>Mrs. Nancy Birds</u>		
<u>Lessa Medders</u>		
(6) <u>Charles W. Medders</u>		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Mrs. He is ?</u>	<u>Sacajawea Goldsten</u>
<u>Whiteman</u>	<u>Elliott</u>

18. Where were they born?

Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Don't know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Don't know</u>
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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I am a son of

Mary Margaret Medders whose father  
was Jacob Goldstein Elliott

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Noah Loggus Medders

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug 1907.

E. D. W. Green

Notary Public.

My commission expires

24<sup>th</sup> Mch, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

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and

C. F. Hart

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

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6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

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Witnesses to mark.

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Power of atty  
to

T. J. Ken

from  
Chalmers D. Med-  
ders, and Nash  
L. Medders.

to them, as I understood the  
agent to be their agent and lead.  
I have no interest in the matter  
excepting in the claim.  
In the interim, I have heard  
the agent to get my hand  
and signed my official seal  
on the day and year last  
written.

E. B. L. L. L.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
on the 1st day of March 1908.





and T. Ben Kerr, ~~my~~<sup>our</sup> attorney, has  
authority to do and perform all  
and every act and thing whatso-  
ever requisite and necessary  
to be done in and about the  
premises as fully to all  
intents and purposes as  
we might or could do if per-  
sonally present at the  
doing thereof.

And if I am finally  
allowed any money or thing  
on ~~my~~<sup>our</sup> old Eastern Chero-  
kee Indian claim & hereby  
direct that all money, checks,  
drafts, vouchers, or warrants  
issued in settlement thereof,  
be sent to T. Ben Kerr, ~~my~~<sup>our</sup>  
attorney at Piedmont, Ala-  
bama, who is hereby given the  
authority to receive the same  
into his possession; and T. Ben  
Kerr, ~~my~~<sup>our</sup> attorney, is hereby  
given authority to sign ~~my~~<sup>our</sup>  
name to all receipts, checks,  
vouchers, drafts, warrants,  
and all other necessary  
papers in connection





Calmus Day Medders, & Neah Lagers Medders to me well

Public in and for said State  
and County personally appeared  
known to be the identical persons  
who executed the foregoing power  
of attorney, and the same first having  
been fully read over to them, and  
the contents fully explained  
to them, acknowledged the  
same to be their act and deed.  
I have no interest present or  
prospective in their claims.

In Testimony Whereof I  
have hereunto set my hand  
and affixed my official seal  
on the day and year last above  
written.

E. D. W. Cullen  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
24<sup>th</sup> day of March 1908

Power of atty  
to

C. J. Day, Secy

from  
Calmus D. Med-  
ders, and Neah  
Lagers Medders

No. 36917  
Name Chalmers Day Mudders and 5 children. Action: Repect  
Residence: Anniston, Ala.  
Route #1.  
Reasons:

Nephew to Mary S. A. Smith (32624)

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# 32624  
# 84556  
See # 26910 11-16  
# 30562-3  
# 30567  
No. 36917

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

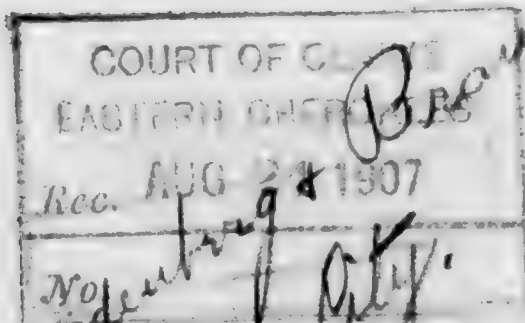
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6-624



*Brandenburg*  
*Atty. General*  
*Atty. General*

2169E



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Rufus Medders	9	
(2)	Edgar Medders	7	
(3)	Early Medders	5	
(4)	Lois Medders	3	
(5)	Cecil Medders	1	
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME

BORN.

DIED.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S SIDE

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jacob Goldstein  
Elliott, Martha Margaret  
Medders.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Chalmers Day Medders

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

E. D. W. Green  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

27<sup>th</sup> March, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. J. Harbin  
and G. H. Hart, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Chalmers Day Medders who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 8 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Harbin  
G. H. Hart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

27<sup>th</sup> March, 1908

E. D. W. Green  
Notary Public.

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No. 36918

Action:

Refected

Name

Samk Blackwell and

8

children.

Residence:

Refston, Ala.

Reasons:

Successors of applicant lived  
out of the Cherokee domain in 1835-  
6. and could not have  
parties to treaties of 1835-6 - 1846.

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No. 36918

Rej.

Name Aunt Blackwell

With No.

Remarks:

nos. 37218-19, 39522,  
39523, 37221, 37075,  
37078-8-9, 37076,  
37105-6, 37488, 37059,  
37060,

grouped together.

Not on rolls.

Repealed.

Ancestors, thus when claim  
is made recorded in Fla.  
in 1839 5 - then  
cancelled if and was at  
all probable.

No. 36918

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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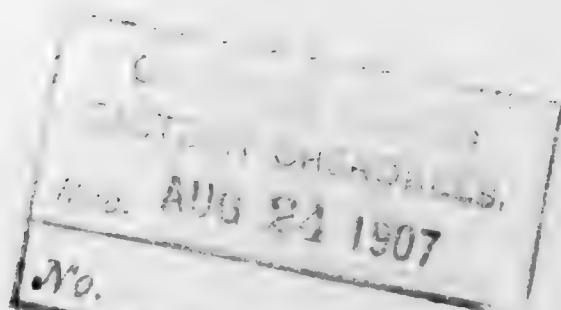
APPLICATION

OF

*Dunk B. Blackwell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36918

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Dunt Blackwell

2. Residence and post office: Repton

3. County: Comanche

4. State: Okla

5. How old are you? 45

Born

Apr 18-1863

6. Where were you born? Comanche Co Okla

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Annie Blackwell age about 29

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1) <u>May Blackwell</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>May 13 - 1885</u>
(2) <u>Robt Blackwell</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Nov 14 1889</u>
(3) <u>Leroy Blackwell</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Apr 12-1892</u>
(4) <u>Annie Blackwell</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Sep 22 1895</u>
(5) <u>Hattie Blackwell</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Jan 14-1897</u>
(6) <u>Carl Blackwell</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Aug 10-1901</u>
<u>Claud Blackwell</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>July 27-1903</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: 1907

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Reynold Blackwell

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Martha Blackwell

Maiden name: Nancy Bartlett

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pike County Ala to best of my knowledge

Mother: Dale County "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Leomont Co. Ill

Mother: —

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in 1871

Mother: " " 1895

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Tom Blackwell Pepton Ill	1851	
(2)	Nancy Borer Pepton Ill	1845	
(3)	Steve Blackwell Pepton Ill	1856	
(4)	Susan Clark Leathbury Ill	1857	
(5)	John Blackwell Adick Ill	1858	
(6)	Arch Blackwell Adick Ill	1863	

8 known 10 born and  
living dead

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William Blackwell	Nancy Bortlett
<del>Robert or John name</del>	Sam Bortlett
Betsy Blackwell	

18. Where were they born? Said Bortlett Southwiche over the Indiana Ho  
19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? do no no

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Rayford Blackwell
- (2) ~~Nancy Blackwell~~ uncle of my
- (3) ~~Felix Blackwell~~
- (4) ~~Margaret Blackwell~~
- (5) Evaline Blackwell
- (6) Steve Blackwell & Nick Blackwell

all died



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: No record of where they lived in 1835

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim the Cherokee Indian Blood on my mother's side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) D W Blackwell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug 1907.

W H Ellis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 24, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J W Watson

and C I Brantley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with D W Blackwell

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 45 years and 45 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents claim to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J W Watson

C I Brantley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 24<sup>th</sup>, 1908. W H Ellis

Notary Public.

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Appl. #36918

May 11, 1908.

Dunk Blackwell,  
Repton, Ala.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1854-55, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1854-55?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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COMMITTEE OF CLAIMS  
SOUTHERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. MAY 18 1908  
No.

R. H. ELLIS  
NOTARY PUBLIC



REPTON, ALA.

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Mr Guion Miller

Washington

Dear Sir I have just taken  
affidavit of Aunt Blackwell  
in regards to his claim I  
did not see the older people  
but I did see his mother &  
her Bros or two of them at  
least one of her Bros was  
with me a few minutes  
ago and could I believe  
testify that there was Indian  
Blood in them his mother  
showed the Indian more  
than the Bros did since  
they was Bros & sister and  
if any of the claimants her  
is entitled to the Fund I



R. H. ELLIS  
NOTARY PUBLIC



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REPTON, ALA. .... 19....

I think the Bartlett &  
Blackmer family is  
they than the Blov  
while I am not interested  
in any way & only speak  
as I do in justice to the  
Poor People who need all  
that may be coming to  
them yours most  
Respectfully R. H. Ellis

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 13 1908  
No. 36918

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NOV 13 1908

Robert Bonney, Jr.  
Nov. 10

Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst.

and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,

Wm. B. Bonney, Jr.

Secretary of the Board of Directors

of the New York and Hudson River Railroad Company

100 Broadway, New York

Enclosed for you are the reports of the Board of Directors for the year ending 31st Decr. 1870.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,

Wm. B. Bonney, Jr.

Secretary of the Board of Directors

of the New York and Hudson River Railroad Company

100 Broadway, New York

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 18 1906  
*No.*



#36918

Dear Sir in ans to your letter  
May 11<sup>th</sup> 1908 My Grand Parents  
Did ~~reside~~ reside with the Cherokee  
Tribe in the State of Fla in 1834-35  
they was recognized as ~~Cherokee~~ <sup>Indian</sup>  
People there was no negro blood in  
them they my mother was Cherokee  
Indians Descendants do not no  
why Fore Parents was not enrolled  
in 1851 they resided in Conecuh  
County Ala in 1851 My Mother  
was very young in 1834-35 and  
lived in Florida at that time My  
Father I do not no where he lived  
in 1834-35 My Grand Parents or  
Parents was never slaves at all  
but my mother was of the Cherokee  
Tribe

State of Alabama  
Conecuh County

Personal

appeared before me Attest a notary Public  
Dwight Blackwell who after being duly  
sworn doth depose and say that the  
above is true and correct to the best  
of his knowledge sworn to this the  
16<sup>th</sup> day of May 1908

Dwight Blackwell

Attest  
Attest  
Notary Public

No. 36919 Action: Refected  
Name Luremia Catherine Overstreet and X children. Residence: Oneckville, Ala.

Reasons:

Ancestors of applicant were  
born out of Cherokee domain  
and were not parties to treaties  
of 1835-6-1846.

F.C.A. 36919

~~Ala. China M. Co.~~  
No. 36919

Field 2

Name Luning C. Overstreet

With No.

Remarks:

No. 36920,

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that are rolls.

July 13<sup>th</sup>/08.

No. 10719

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Lurania Catherine Constance*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state:

1. State full name—

English name: Lurdenia Katherine Overstreet

Indian name: Bishop

2. Residence and post office: Joneses Mill

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Ala

5. How old are you? 59 years

Born 1847

6. Where were you born? Blair County Ala.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 77 John D. Overstreet

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Juley</u>	<u>Thirty seven</u>	<u>1868</u>
(2)	<u>Tomok</u>	<u>Thirty Five</u>	<u>1871</u>
(3)	<u>Barbara</u>	<u>Thirty two</u>	<u>1875</u>
(4)	<u>Carrie</u>	<u>Twenty Nine</u>	<u>1878</u>
(5)	<u>Josephine</u>	<u>Twenty seven</u>	<u>1880</u>
(6)	<u>Effie Jane</u>	<u>Twenty five</u>	<u>1882</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Anderson

Indian name: Jim Anderson

Mother—English name: Pope

Indian name: Bishop

Maiden name: Pope

12. Where were they born? Wilcox County Ala

Father: Chick County Ala

Mother: Chick County Ala



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Clarke County

Mother: Clarke County

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1893

Mother: 1872

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Heider was enrolled

for any thing

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Wm. J. Anderson</u>	<u>don't no</u>	<u>1863</u>
(2)	<u>Julia Ann "</u>	<u>don't no</u>	<u>1890</u>
(3)	<u>Jessie "</u>	<u>don't no</u>	<u>yet alive</u>
(4)	<u>John "</u>	<u>don't</u>	<u>yet alive</u>
(5)	<u>Mary "</u>	<u>don't no</u>	<u>1887</u>
(6)	<u>Stephen Lewis "</u>	<u>don't no</u>	<u>1881</u>

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Don't no

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Indian name Bishop

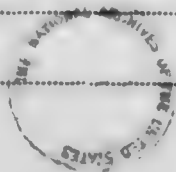
18. Where were they born? don't no

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Clarke County Ala.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>don't no</u>	
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians:

*Never was enrolled*

*any where at any time*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*don't no*

*don't no*

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*there is 5 other children of mine who yet have not  
had room to mention <sup>age 24</sup> Margaret <sup>died at 12 years</sup> Story Robert Lee  
<sup>12 years</sup> Archie <sup>14 years</sup> Samuel & <sup>14 years</sup> Mahon Woodard*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Lumina Catherine X Chaudron*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 1907.

*J. G. Chaudron*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*Sept. 22*

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

*J. G. Chaudron*  
*Walter J. Flower*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *8* years and

*10* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

*herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

*Weslake*

Signatures of Witnesses.

*J. G. X Chaudron*

*Walter J. Flower*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *August*, 1907.

My commission expires

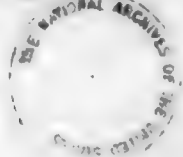
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*J. G. Chaudron*

Notary Public.

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Appl. #38919

May 11, 1908.

Louvenia C. Overstreet,  
Jones Mills, Ala.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

CHB/ALS

Special Commissioner

CHB.



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No. 36919.

, July 15th, 1908.

Luvenia Katherine Overstreet,  
Jones Mill, Ala.

Madam:

On May 11th, 1908, a letter was sent you from this office requesting additional information in regard to your Eastern Cherokee claim. No reply has been received to that letter, and unless the additional information requested below is furnished, your claim must be rejected.

The additional information is:

1. Why were you, your parents or your grand-parents never enrolled?
2. Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?
3. Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846?
4. State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

by

W.S.T.-MSM.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 17 1908
No. 36919

So. So I have given you the statement  
at this time as I have recommended it  
hoping to hear from you soon  
I am yours very respectfully

Reverend Nathaniel Burdett

Address your letter to  
H. J. Madison  
Correspondent for  
Goodway etc

Mrs. G. H. Burdett

Goodway ala aug 12-1908

To Special Commissioner of the court  
of claims Washington D.C.

Dear Sir yours of July the 15<sup>th</sup> just  
at hand. and in reply will give you  
as correct a statement as my memory  
will admit

My great Grandma name was  
Chambers. My Great Grandfather  
Heusban was named <sup>Rubey</sup> Chambers and  
he was half Cherokee Indian

My grand mother was named Mary  
~~Anderson~~ Bishop. My Grandpa  
was named Johnson. Anderson  
My father was named Jim  
Anderson. And my grandparents  
was enrolled. but do not remember  
when they were enrolled in the Indian  
war or on the federal side

2 none of my decendence near was  
Slaves

3 My memory is that they was parties  
to the Treaty of 1835-6 and 1846

4 My reason that I think that I should  
Shear in the fur is that of the  
Cherokee Indians is to Shear in

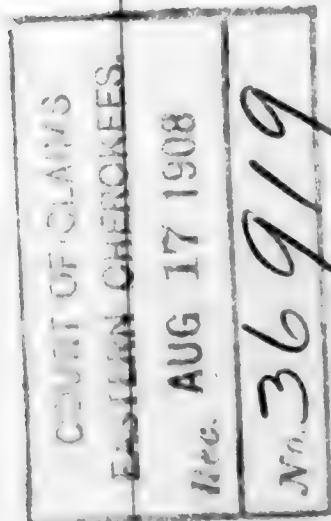
the furs. I have an equal right for  
my portion. for that is my nation of people  
and has descended as a pride to the present  
day. My great grand father and mother  
grand father and grand mother. My  
father and mother all descending from  
that nation and bearing a portion of  
that blood. and their children taught  
so. So I have give you the statement  
at this time as I now remember it  
hoping to hear from you soon  
I am yours very respectfully

Lueria Kathum Overstreet

Address your letter to  
H. Melvin  
Goodway ala

Correspondent for

Mrs. L. K. Overstreet.





No. 36920-

Action: No action

Name: Mrs. J. J. J. and children.

Residence: 1700 Main St.

Reasons: The same as in the previous report.

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No. 369 20

Name Mary V. Bryan

With No. 369 19

Remarks:

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

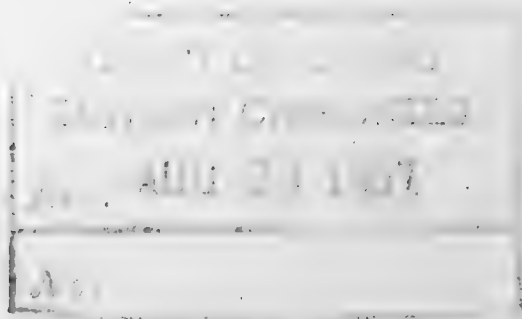
APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Victoria Bryan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Mary Victoria Bryan  
English name: Mary Victoria Bryan  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
2. Residence and post office: Jones Mills  
Monroe  
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_  
4. State: Alabama  
5. How old are you? 24 yrs. Born Oct. 28-1883  
6. Where were you born? Clark Co. Ala  
7. Are you married? yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jim Bryan 30 yrs.  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokees  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Eliar Bryan</u>	<u>7 months</u>	<u>Dec. 24 / 1906.</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

John D. Querstreet, Lurvenia Kathrine Querstreet, Anderson  
Father—English name: Querstreet  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother—English name: Pope  
Indian name: Bishop  
Maiden name: Pope

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wilcox County Ala  
Mother: Clark " " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Clark County Ala

Mother:

"

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

1905 11<sup>th</sup> May

Mother:

Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Julia O'neilstreet	1860	Living
(2)	Thomas "	1872	"
(3)	Barbaria "	1875	"
(4)	Carine "	1878	"
(5)	Cecilia Jane "	1882	"
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Anderson

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Pope, English  
Bishop, Indian

18. Where were they born?

Wilcox County Ala

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Wilcox County Ala

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Thomas Anderson	Fulton, Clark Co Ala
(2)	John "	Alma " " "
(3)	Jim "	Coffeeville " "
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Anderson,  
Cape & Bishop

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary Victoria Bryan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

J. J. Nicholas

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept. 22, 1909

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. J. Chaudron

and

J. L. Salomon

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Victoria Bryan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 6 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

W. H. Hale

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. J. Chaudron

J. L. Salomon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept. 22, 1909

J. J. Nicholas

Notary Public.

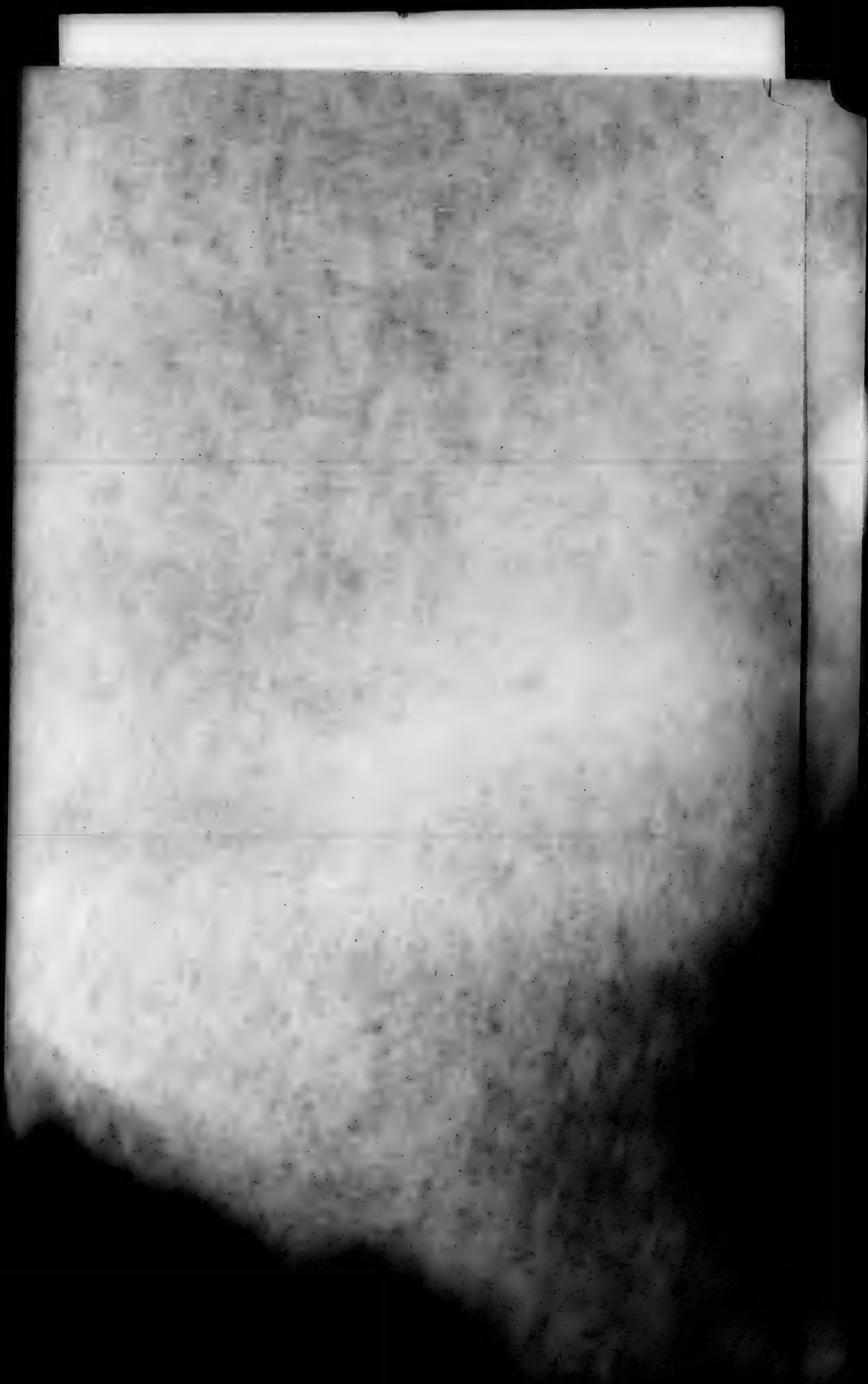
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No. 36921  
Name Laurie Richards and 5 children. Residence: Jacksonboro, Tenn. Action: Reject.  
Reasons: Ancestors were never enrolled, & never met / some  
any genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.

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No. 31091

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

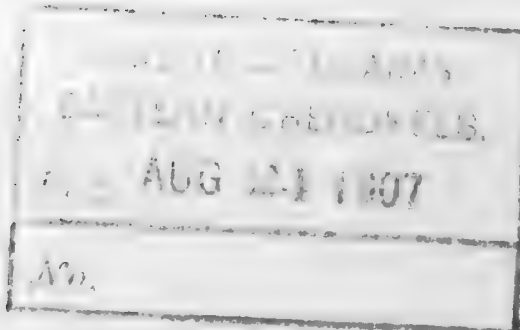
APPLICATION

OF

*Louisa Richards*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36921

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Louisa Richards by marriage

Indian name: don't know

2. Residence and post office: Jacksonville

3. County: Campbell

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born 27 years

6. Where were you born? Campbell Co, Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: my husband name James W. Richards 29 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? we both belong to Cherokee Tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Birdie Richards</u>	<u>Feb 1</u>	<u>1898</u>
(2)	<u>William T. Richards</u>	<u>May 22</u>	<u>1899</u>
(3)	<u>Sargeon R. Richards</u>	<u>Aug 22</u>	<u>1901</u>
(4)	<u>Mary J. Richards</u>	<u>Aug 13</u>	<u>1904</u>
(5)	<u>Floie Richards</u>	<u>March 22</u>	<u>1906</u>
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Joseph W. Elkins

Indian name: don't know

Mother—English name: Mary Elkins

Indian name: don't know

Maiden name: Mary Riggs

12. Where were they born?

Father: Campbell Co, Tenn

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

**13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?**

Father: in Campbell Co. Tenn

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: is Living

Mother: / / / /

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

and with what tribe of Indians: not as i know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mahulda Ekins	age 30 years	
	Knoxville Tenn		

(2) Lizzie Elkins 11.25  
Coal Creek Anderson Co. Tenn

(3) Susan Elkins . . 23 . .  
Campbell Co Tenn

(4) Almer Elkins .. 21 ..  
Lafollette Campbell Co Tenn

(5) Emely Elkins ..... 11 19 .....  
Knox County Knoxville Tenn

(6) John A. Elkin ..... 17 .....  
Knox County Knoxville Tenn

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

## FATHER'S SIDE.

Marit Elkins      marium Elkins

don't know

## MOTHER'S SIDE.

marium Elkins

Crasie Riggs

18. Where were they born? *in northcarolina*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Campbell Co., Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(I) Luisa Elkins Campbell County, Tenn.

(2) Jessie Elkins anderson court Fair

(3) David Elkins Campbell Co. Tenn

(4) Susan Atkins Kentucky

(5) *Gyria Elkins* *anderson Co. Tex.*  
*R.H. P.H.* *C.H.H.* *H.*

(6) Pellie Paul by marriage Campbell Co Tenn



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians Never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Louisa Richard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

J. S. Lindsay Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 1, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. W. Copeland

and P. J. Gross, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Louisa Richard

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. W. Copeland  
P. J. Gross

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April 1, 1907. J. S. Lindsay Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 7 1909  
No. 36921

send  
notice  
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Jack's Town June 4 1918

R & D no 4

Mr. Union Miller dear Sir  
I will write you a few lines  
in regard to my application  
no 36921

I understand that the  
Court of Claims way to get  
through with this business  
by the last of May 1918

and Mr. Miller I would  
like to know something  
about my claim  
and when it will be paid

Yours  
Missa Richd.

#38931

Miscel.

Jane Richards being first duly sworn in behalf of Louisa Richards, deposes and says:

That I am 77 years of age, live in Campbell Co., Tenn. I am acquainted with Louisa Richards; she is my son's wife. She claims Indian through her father; her mother is white. She claims through her grandfather Elkins - Merritt Elkins. Her father was born and raised in Campbell Co., Tenn. Her grandfather was born in Yancy Co., N. C. Her father was never on any roll that I ever heard of. Don't know when Merritt Elkins came to Tenn., but suppose it was before the war. I guess he lived among the Indians when he was small. Don't know how much Indian he claimed. Jim, Bert, Alfred Elkins were my the uncles of Louisa Richards. Louisa Richards is recognized as white. Never heard her say how much Indian she claimed.

Jane Richards  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Coal Creek, Tenn. this 30th day of June 1908.

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Ass't to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

FDR

No. 36922,

Action: Reject.

Name Mrs. Thorton and 11 children.

Residence: Jackson, Tenn.

Reasons: Sister of <sup>+</sup> 36921,

36922



No. 36922

Name Susan Sharpton

With No. 36921

Remarks:

100922

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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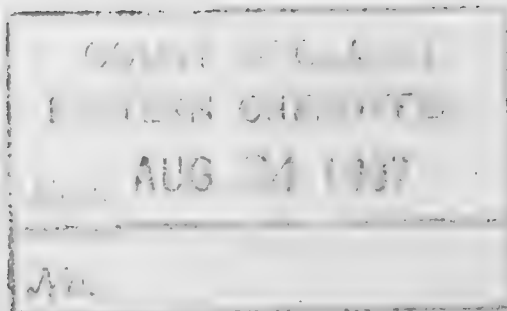
APPLICATION

OF

*Susan Thornton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36422

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Susson Thornton by marriage

Indian name: don't know

2. Residence and post office: Jacksboro

3. County: Campbell

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born 23 years old

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Campbell ex, Tenn

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to Cherokee Tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Walter Thornton</u>	<u>Feb 1</u>	<u>1902</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Joseph M. Elkins

Indian name: don't know

Mother—English name: Mary Elkins

Indian name: don't know

Maiden name: Mary Riggs

12. Where were they born?

Father: Campbell County Tenn

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Campbell C. Lee

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: is living

Mother: Lulu

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not as i know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mahulda Elkins Knox County Knoxville	age 30 years Term	
(2)	Luisa Elkins Campbell County	.. 27 .. Term	
(3)	Lizzie Elkins Coul Creek Anderson Co.	.. 25 .. Term	
(4)	Abner Elkins LaFollette Campbell Co.	.. 21 .. Term	
(5)	Emely Elkins Knox County Knoxville	.. 19 .. Term	
(6)	John R. Elkins Knox Co. Knoxville	.. 17 .. Term	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

## FATHER'S SIDE.

Mearit Elkins  
don't know

## MOTHER'S SIDE.

marium Elkins  
Cresie Riggs

18. Where were they born? in northcarolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Campbell Co. Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible.

(1) Luisa Elkins	Campbell Co. Tenn
(2) Jessie Elkins	Anderson Co. Tenn
(3) David Elkins	Campbell Co. Tenn
(4) Susan Elkins	Kentucky
(5) Elzaria Elkins	Anderson Co. Tenn
(6) Bettie Paul by marriage	Campbell Co. Tenn



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Susan Thornton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

J. S. Lindsay Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 1, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. W. Capeland

and G. J. Gross, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Susan Thornton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. W. Capeland  
G. J. Gross

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April 1, 1909. J. S. Lindsay Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Dec. JAN 20 1908  
No. 36922

*one lot*

JAN 20 1908

Dear Sir

Jan 15<sup>th</sup> 1891

Mr. William H. H. H.

-Hastings-

Dear Sir

the claim of Susan  
Thompson # 36922 of the  
Eastern Canadian Railway - I  
want to know if I ask  
any thing in the way  
of it. Let me know and  
so when do you think it  
will be reached

Let me hear from you at once  
What is your name

Chas. E. Reed

London Ontario

Appl. #36921

May 11, 1908.

Louisa Richards,  
Jacksboro, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec.* MAY 28 1908

*No.*

CHB.

May 25 1903

Mrs Miller Washington D.C.  
in answer to your letter  
you ask me whether my parents or grandfathers  
resided with the Cherokee Tribe, yes.  
i cant state where but in northcarolina  
in yancey county. the next question  
whether white indian or negroes  
the where recognized as white one half  
and indian the other half.  
the were not living in 1834-35  
the were in northcarolina in 1834-35  
and the were not slaves of either  
one. Truly yours  
address. Louisa Richards.

Jacksboro Tenn  
R. F. D. 114

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CAUTION CHEVROLET  
Rec JUL 10 1908  
No. 36922

via let.

JUL 11 1908

1st

Caryville Tenn.  
July 1st 1894

Friend Miller,

Special Com. of  
Court of Claims, Eastern  
Division, Enrollment.

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir: I have just in  
reply to my letter of 30th  
June told you that I had  
heard of it. - or if you had  
any more information  
I will tell you. I hope  
I will reach it, as I would like  
to have some of your time



End

My Mail to Susan  
Dear Sir, of E. H. H.  
James H. H.  
Miss Susan H. H.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 26 1908

No. 36922

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DEC 26 1908

Caryville Tenn.

Dec 20 1898

Mr. Emory Miller, Special Commissioner  
601, Congress Bldg., Washington D.C.

Dear Sir, My sincere Esteem -  
Charles Enrollment # 36922, Wanted

Like to know if it has been

reached for consideration yet,

if it has not write me a Post

What time you will reach it.

Yours Respectfully

Miss Susan Thornton

cc: E. Reed

Caryville Tenn.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 9 1909  
No. 369-22

notice  
6/10



Caryville Tenn.

March 22nd 1909

Mr. George Miller, Special Comm.  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir Would like to know  
if my claim relative to the  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment, has  
been reached for final consideration  
on Mat. No. 36922.

If you need any more proof in  
the case let me know. Write me  
a Bant what time it will be  
reached for final consideration

Yours Respectfully  
Susan Thornton

for E. Reed

Carpsville Tenn

Jan 6th 1909

Union Miller, Special Comm

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir & Wife you are regard

to my claim of the Eastern -  
Cherokee Enrollment. No 36,922

Would like to know if it has been

fully acted upon or a point

What time you will reach it

for final consideration.

Yours Respectfully

Miss Susan Thornton

C. B. Reed

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 12 1909  
No. 36922

circ. let.

Careyville,  
~~Jacksonboro~~, Tennessee  
July 9, 1909,

Clerk U.S. Court of Claims,  
Dear Sir

I see Commission Miller has reported  
my application No. 36922, for rejection, but I can not  
understand Cause +. Will you please inform me, as  
I desire to file exceptions + and I believe that I  
can furnish other evidence as to my Cherokee  
Ancestors + please advise me fully.  
Since I filed my claim I have re-married to Elihu  
Reed,

Respectfully

Susan Thornton, (now Reed)

Address: Susan Reed, Careyville, Tennessee.



No. 36923,

Action: *Refect.*

Name *Elijah Richards* and *6* children.

Residence: *Jackson, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Don 42 - #36926*

36923

No. 36973  
Name Eijah Richard  
With No. ~~James Campbell~~  
Remarks: 36975

Campbell, Fred

No. 36923

Name Eliza Richard

With No.

Remarks:

#36924-5,

granted license.

not on rolls.

X

No. 30923

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION  
OF

*Eliza Richards*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Eligah Richards

Indian name: dont know

2. Residence and post office: Jacksonville Campbell Co, Tenn

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born 40 years old

6. Where were you born? in Sevier County Co. Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: my wife Carlene Richards her age 34 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to Cherokee Tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Minie Richards</u>	<u>march 3</u>	<u>1894</u>
(2)	<u>Gather Richards</u>	<u>jan 1</u>	<u>1895</u>
(3)	<u>Minter Richards</u>	<u>jan 16</u>	<u>1896</u>
(4)	<u>Liza Richards</u>	<u>apr 20</u>	<u>1898</u>
(5)	<u>Charly Richards</u>	<u>apr 1</u>	<u>1899</u>
(6)	<u>Bessie Richards</u>	<u>mar 23</u>	<u>1903</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Witt Richards

Indian name: dont know

Mother—English name: Jane Richards

Indian name: dont know

Maiden name: Jane Willson

12. Where were they born?

Father: in northcarolina

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Green County Tenn.

Mother: " " " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died Sept 19 — 1900

Mother: is living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not as i know off

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Martha Richards</u> <u>Campbell Co, Tenn</u>	<u>38 years</u>	
(2)	<u>Daniel Richards</u> <u>Campbell Co, Tenn</u>	<u>36 . .</u>	
(3)	<u>Roda Richards</u> <u>Kintucky</u>	<u>34 .</u>	
(4)	<u>James H. Richards</u> <u>Campbell Co, Tenn</u>	<u>29 . .</u>	
(5)	<u>Joseph Richards</u> <u>Campbell Co, Tenn</u>	<u>24 . .</u>	
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John Richards  
Eliha Willson

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Sarah Richards  
Mary Willson

18. Where were they born? in northcarolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Jane Richards</u>	<u>Campbell Co, Tenn</u>
(2)	<u>William Willson</u>	<u>Sevier County, Tenn</u>
(3)	<u>Eliha Willson</u>	<u>Campbell Co, Tenn</u>
(4)	<u>Daniel Richards</u>	<u>in northcarolina</u>
(5)	<u>Martha Richards</u>	<u>in canyis</u>
(6)	<u>William T. Richards</u>	<u>don't know</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians Never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Eliza Richards

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of aug 1907.

J. S. Lindsay

Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 1, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. F. Gross

and G. W. Copland, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Eliza Richards

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and

16 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. F. Gross

G. W. Copland

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April 1, 1909. J. S. Lindsay  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Appl. #36923

May 11, 1908.

Elifah Richards,  
Jacksboro, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1854-55, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1854-55?

If your parents or grandparents were slaver, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 18 1908  
*No.*

#3692<sup>3</sup>  
CHB

some yes.

1785 in the Caroline  
county.

to go as on the white and  
to the indian. The were  
living in north carolina.

1785 you ask me of the were  
some of indians or white people  
to take no more of them.

But  
Elizabeth  
Lapelle  
June

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Recd. JUN 18 1909  
No. 36923

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let.

Jacksboro, Tennessee  
June 16, 1909.

Hon. Union Miller  
Special Commissioner

Dear Sir,

Yours of 10 inst as to rejection of my  
Application No. 36923, for participation in the fund  
arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of  
May 28, 1909, is duly received, and I hasten to ask  
and respectfully request that you furnish me  
with a statement of the grounds upon which my  
application was rejected, so that I may be able  
to reply thereto within the time required.  
Awaiting reply I am

Sincerely &c

Elijah Richards,

PS: Perhaps this should be addressed to the Clerk  
of the Court of Claims, if so, will you kindly hand it  
to the proper officer with request that information  
requested may be given me fully &c. and  
your kindness will oblige

Elijah Richards,



No. 36924

Action: Refect

Name James W. Richards and 5 children.

Residence: Campbell Tenn.

Reasons: son of #36925

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No. 36924 X.

Name

With No. 36925

Remarks:

Jas. W. Richards  
Jane

No. 1301001

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

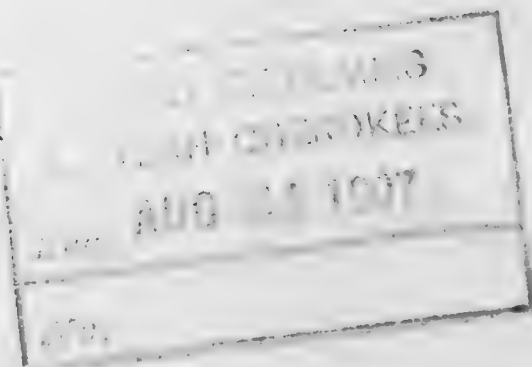
APPLICATION

OF

James W. Richards

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36924

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James W. Richards  
Indian name: don't know

2. Residence and post office: Campbell

3. County: County

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born 29 years old

6. Where were you born? Sevier County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Louisa Richards age 27 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to Cherokee Tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Birelote Richards</u>	<u>Feb 1</u>	<u>1898</u>
(2)	<u>William J. Richards</u>	<u>May 22</u>	<u>1899</u>
(3)	<u>Sargen R. Richards</u>	<u>Aug 22</u>	<u>1901</u>
(4)	<u>Mary J. Richards</u>	<u>Aug 13</u>	<u>1904</u>
(5)	<u>Flores Richards</u>	<u>March 22</u>	<u>1906</u>
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Witt Richards

Indian name: don't know

Mother—English name: Jane Richards

Indian name: don't know

Maiden name: Jane Wilson

12. Where were they born?

Father: in northcarolina

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



**13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?**

Father: in Green County Tenn

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died Sept 19 1900

Mother: is Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not as i know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Martha Richards	38 years	
	Campbell Co. Tenn		
(2)	Isreal Richards	36 . .	
	Campbell Co. Tenn		
(3)	Rocla Richards	34 . .	
	in Rintucky		
(4)	Joseph Richards	24 . .	
	Campbell Co. Tenn		
(5)	Eliha Richards	40 . .	
	Campbell Co. Tenn		
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

## FATHER'S SIDE.

John Richards  
Eligba Willson

## MOTHER'S SIDE.

Sarah Richards  
Mary Willson

18. Where were they born? in north carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jane Richarts	Campbell Co. Tenn
(2)	William Wilson	Sevier county Tenn
(3)	Eliza Wilson	Campbell Co. Tenn
(4)	Daniel Richards	in north carolina
(5)	Martha Richards	in cannes
(6)	William F. Richards	don't know

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James W. Richards

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of aug, 1907.

J. S. Lindsay

Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 1, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. T. Gross

and

G. W. Copeland

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

James W. Richards

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. T. Gross

G. W. Copeland

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April 1

, 1909.

J. S. Lindsay

Notary Public.

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No. 36925.

Action: *Refet.*

Name *Jane Richards* and *X* children. Residence: *Indianapolis, Ind.*

Reasons: *Amator was never enrolled. This applicant does not prove any genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.*

*Min-Tut P. 807*

36925

*Jack Field*  
No. *36925*  
Name *James Richards*  
With No. *Campbell*  
Remarks: *S*

# *36922*,  
*grouped underneath.*

*not on rolls.*



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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

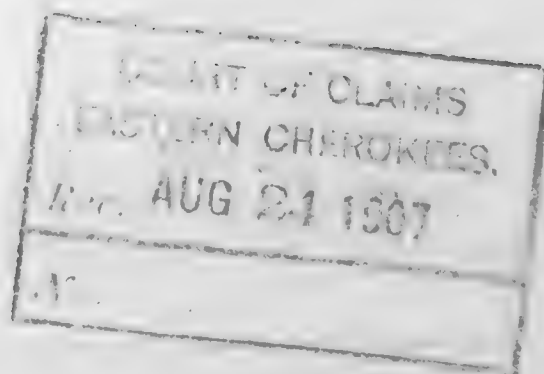
APPLICATION

U.

*Jane Richards*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jane Richards  
Indian name: don't know

2. Residence and post office: Jacksboro

3. County: Campbell County

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born I am 75 years old

6. Where were you born? in north carolina

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: my husband name Wiott Richards he is 66 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? we both belong to Cherokee Tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Eligba Richards</u>	<u>40 years</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Martha Richards</u>	<u>38 . .</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Daniel Richards</u>	<u>36 . .</u>	_____
(4)	<u>Roda Richards</u>	<u>34 . .</u>	_____
(5)	<u>James W Richards</u>	<u>29 . .</u>	_____
(6)	<u>Joseph Richards</u>	<u>24 . .</u>	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Eligba Wilson

Indian name: don't know

Mother—English name: Marry Wilson

Indian name: don't know

Maiden name: Mary Franklin

12. Where were they born?

Father: in north carolina

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in northcarolina

Mother: in northcarolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died oct - 1883

Mother: died July 15 1896

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not as i know off

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Wilson	72 years old	
	Deer Creek County Tenn		
(2)	Eligah Wilson	may 7 1836	
	Campbell County Tenn		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Abner Wilson	Tabbitha Franklin

18. Where were they born? in northcarolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? was not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Can not	
(2)	}	}
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Janet Richard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of Aug 1907.

J. S. Lindsay

Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 1, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Geo W Copeland

and

F. J. Grass

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Janet Richard

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo W Copeland

F. J. Grass

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April 1, 1907.

J. S. Lindsay

Notary Public.

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#36925 - #36923

Miscel.

Jane Richards being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I, am 77 years of age. I was born close to Cherokee Co., N. C., don't know what county. I left there when I was small, when I was about five years old. I claim through my mother and my father was white. My mother's father was Indian. His name was Henry Franklin. My mother's mother was white. My mother was born and raised in Buncombe Co., N. C. Henry Franklin was born in Buncombe Co. and raised in Cherokee Co., N. C. My mother lived among the Indians. I never lived among them. My grandfather lived among the Indians but I don't know whether as a member of the tribe. Henry Franklin died when I was about 8 years old. I was never on any Indian roll. Don't know whether my mother was or not. Don't know whether my grandfather was or not. He never had any other name than Franklin. My mother had three brothers ~~and three sisters~~. The brothers were Henry, Hiram and John. The sisters were Annie Franklin, never married. Don't know why I was never enrolled. I never heard that I was ever on any roll. This is the best testimony I am able to furnish. Eligah Richards is my son and his father was 1/4 Cherokee. His father was born and raised near Cherokee Co., N. C. Was never on any roll. He left N. C. when he wasn't quite grown, some little time before the war. Don't know which of his parents was the Indian. I don't know whether Wyatt Richard's parents ever lived with the Indians or not.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Coal Creek, Tenn. this  
30th day of June 1908.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Ass't to Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims.

Applicant to all appearances is a white woman.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 30 1909  
No. 36925

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JAN 30 1909

Jackboro Jan 27 1909  
Mr Guion Miller  
it has bin idlong time  
since i herd from you  
about the eastern  
Cherokees. i want to know  
when it is to be paid  
off. it seems like along  
time coming.  
my no 36925  
my adress is

James Richard  
Jackboro  
Tenn

No. 36926

Action: Witch

Name James Taylor and 7 children. Residence: Lawrence, Ia.

Reasons:

Unborn child

36926





*File.*  
*through*  
*Val or Henry.*  
No.

*Rec*  
*# 36927*

*address*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

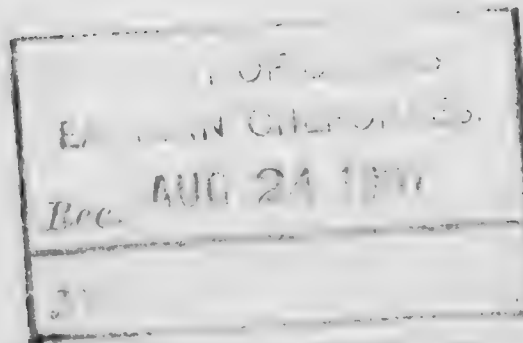
APPLICATION

OF

*Minnie F. Frazier*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36927

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Winnie Frazier  
Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Danson Stanford

3. County: Decatur Gwinnett County Ga

4. State: Ala Ga

5. How old are you? 58 Born 1849

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett co Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Deed Joseph W Frazier

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Martha D Frazier	20	1887
(2)	Mary J	111	1874
(3)	William T	111	1878
(4)	July W	111	1880
(5)	Martha	111	1887
(6)	Lulu W	111	1870
	Joseph W Frazier	11	1872

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: 1872

Father—English name: Sphram Sizemore

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Tahitha Sizemore

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Tahitha Mitchell

Haul co Ga

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Ala

Mother: in Haul county Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gwinnett co. Ga

Mother: 1111 111 111

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1866

Mother: 1111 1875

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not known

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	June Sizemore		Dead
	Temper 11111		1111
Jane or (2)	Elizabeth 1111		athens Ga
Joel or	Jahitha 1111		Dead
(3)	Martha Sizemore		1111
"	Stacy 11111		all
(4)	Susany 1111		Dead
	Margrett 1111		1111
(5)	Leahorn 111		1111
(6)			

States unknown

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Henry Sizemore

Whidil Sizemore

18. Where were they born?

Da not known

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

not not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) Wm Sizemore

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Minnie F. Fraser  
Great grand daughter of  
Henry of the Sisseton

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Minnie F. Fraser a Cherokee  
through the Sisseton family  
she is Cherokee and on the Cherokee  
Roll

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Minnie Fraser

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sep.

1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Andrew J. Pirkle  
and S. J. Puckett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Minnie F. Fraser  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and  
12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. J. Puckett

Andrew J. Pirkle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Sep.

1910.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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App. No 36926

October 28, 1907.

Winnie Fraser,

Dawson, Alabama.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Funds, please state the name of your grandfather and of your great grandfather, on the Sizemore side.

Also state what relation you are to Ned Sizemore, commonly called "Old Ned Sizemore", if any.

State the married names of all your sisters, stating whether they are living or dead.

If possible, state the names of your father's brothers and sisters.

Also state the married names of your daughters, and state whether or not they are living.

Please state whether or not you are related to William Sizemore, of Pisgah Forest, North Carolina, and, if so, what relation.

In replying to this letter, refer to the number of your application-- #36926.

Very respectfully,

WEA

Special Commissioner.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,

App. No 36926

WASHINGTON, D. C. October 28, 1907.

Winnie Fraser,

Dawson, Alabama.

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Also state the married names of your daughters, and state whether or not they are living.

Please state whether or not you are related to William Sizemore, of Pisgah Forest, North Carolina, and, if so, what relation.

In replying to this letter, refer to the number of your application-- #36926.

Very respectfully,

*Guion Miller,*  
Special Commissioner.

WEA

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
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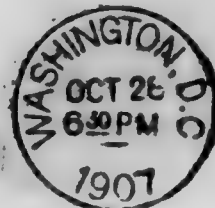
Winnie Fraser,  
Lawson, Ala.

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U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
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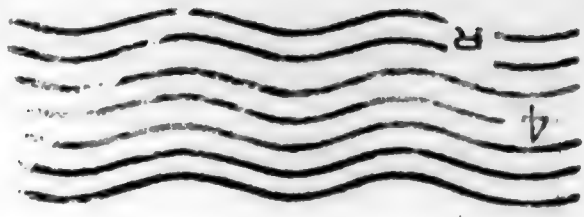
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Winnie Frazer,  
Dawson, Ala.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES
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No.



No. 36927

Action: Re. act.

Name Cabins, Isaac and 5 children. Residence: Indian Co.

Reasons:

Aggravated case.



36927

No. 101027

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Alvin Fraser*  
*Asberry Fraser*  
*5 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36927



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Calvin A. Frasier

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Sumford

3. County: Gwinnett

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 37 Born 1870

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett county Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Widely S. Frasier 36 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Ellar S. Frasier</u>	<u>13</u>	
(2)	<u>Thomas S.</u>	<u>11</u>	
(3)	<u>Mallie S.</u>	<u>9</u>	
(4)	<u>Hubert S.</u>	<u>7</u>	
(5)	<u>Henry</u>	<u>2</u>	
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Joseph S. Frasier

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Minnie F. Frasier

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Minnie Sizemore

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gwinnett co Ga

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joseph A. Frasier	1872	Buford
(2)	Mary J. Frasier	1874	11.11
(3)	William J. 11.11	1878	ala
(4)	July A. 11.11	1880	11.11
(5)	Martha D. 11	1887	ala
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side; if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Ephraim Sizemore  
unknown

Tahitha Sizemore  
or Tahitha Mitchell

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jane Sizemore	Dead
(2)	Temper 11.11.11	11.11
	Jacob or Tahitha 11.11	athens Ga
	Wash Sizemore	Dead
(5)	Stacy 11.11.11	ala
(6)	Susan 11.11	ala
	Margrett 11.11	Dead
	Leban 11.11	11.11
	Elizabeth 11.11	athens Ga

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Calvin A Frasier

son of Eunice F Frasier she daughter  
Ephram Sizemore daughter of Henry  
REMARKS. at Tal Sizemore

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Calvin A Frasier a Cherokee through  
Sizemore family and this name  
are on same of the Cherokee Rolls

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Calvin A. Frasier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22<sup>nd</sup>

day of

Aug

1907

Notary Public

My commission expires

Sep

1900.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

H. E. Hays

and

J. S. Cheek

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Calvin A Frasier

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. E. Hays

J. S. Cheek

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22<sup>nd</sup>

day of

Aug

1907.

My commission expires

Sep

1900.

E. Hackett

Notary Public.

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No. 36928

Action: *Rejct.*

Name

*J. A. Tracer*

and

*3*

children.

Residence:

*Buford, La.*

Reasons:

*Sign more card.*

36928



No. 31038

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

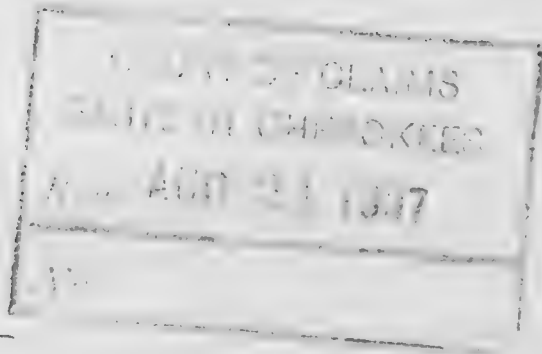
OF

*Fraser*  
*Joseph Anderson*  
*3 children*

*Fraser*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*36428*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Maithe Linner	8	8-5-1898
(2)	John Malls	6	6-15-1901
(3)	Grady Lee	2	8-9-1905
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gwinnett County Ga

Mother: 1111 111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1902

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not known

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<del>Franklin A</del> <u>Franklin A</u> <u>Fraser</u>	<u>1870</u>	<u>Buford, Ga</u>
(2)	<u>Mary J Fraser</u>	<u>1874</u>	<u>Buford, Ga</u>
(3)	<u>William T Fraser</u>	<u>1878</u>	<u>ala</u>
(4)	<u>Julia A. Fraser</u>	<u>1880</u>	<u>ala</u>
(5)	<u>Martha D. Fraser</u>	<u>1887</u>	<u>ala</u>
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Opheo Sizenon</u>	<u>Jahith Sizemore</u>
<u>un H</u>	<u>or Jahith Mitchell</u>

18. Where were they born? father in SC mother Haul Co Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gwinnett Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Jane Sizemore</u>	<u>Died</u>
(2)	<u>Jessie</u>	<u>1111</u>
(3)	<u>good or Tabitha</u>	<u>1111</u>
(4)	<u>Mary</u>	<u>1111</u>
(5)	<u>Stacy</u>	<u>1111</u>
(6)	<u>Susan</u>	<u>1111</u>
	<u>Margaret</u>	<u>1111</u>
	<u>Leah</u>	<u>1111</u>
	<u>Elizabeth</u>	<u>1111</u>

others Ga



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Joseph A. Fraiser  
son of Minnie F. Fraiser the daughter  
of Ephraim Sizemore son of Henry  
or Tal Sizemore

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Joseph A. Fraiser a Cherokee through  
the descent of the Sizemore family  
this name appears on the Rolls of 1835 or 1846

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Aug, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. E. Hays

and J. S. Cheek

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Joseph A. Fraiser

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec, 1910.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36929

Action: Reject.

Name James H. Baird and 4 children. Residence: St. Louis, Mo.

Reasons:

Immoral assoc.

36929

No. 36976-9.

Name

With No. Eph. Sigmon

Remarks:

Thine F. Fraser  
Calvin  
J. v.  
Wm. N. Bailey.

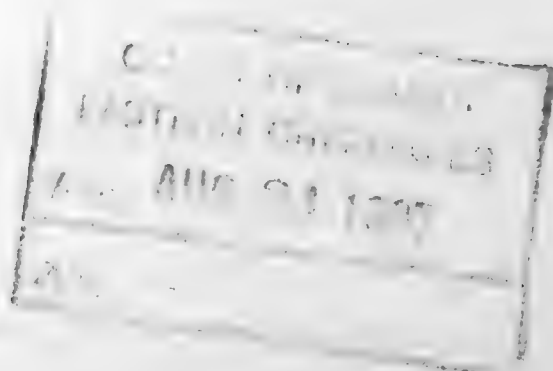
## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

**OF**

William Venton Bailey  
and 4 children

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36925

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William W. Bailey

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence and post office: Barford

3. County: Gwinnett.

4. State: G. a.

5. How old are you? 39 Born 10-29-1867

6. Where were you born? Gwinnett co. G. a.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Dillie Bailey

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Ernie Bailey</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>10-29-1894</u>
(2)	<u>Walter Corance Bailey</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>10-29-1896</u>
(3)	<u>Felena Bailey</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>4-22-1900</u>
(4)	<u>Mirgil</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4-29-1905</u>
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Wahm's Bailey

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Jemba Bailey

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Jemba Sizemore

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gwinnett. Co. G. a.

Mother: " " " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Guinnett County Ga

Mother: 1111 111 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1872

Mother: 111 1874

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: have not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Margrett C. Squire	12-9-1860	Guinnett Co Ga
	<sup>Wife of</sup> Ephraim W. Bailey	8-22-1865	deceased
(2)	Malissie J. Finch	3-9-1862	1111
	<sup>Wife of</sup> Minnie J. Roberts	7-15-1869	Living Guinnett Co Ga
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Ephraim Sizemore, Sabitha Mitchell  
born in S C

18. Where were they born? he born in Guinnett Co Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Guinnett Co 11

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jane Sizemore or Bailey	Deceased
(2)	Minnie Mitchell	Athens Ga
(3)	Good Sizemore	Deceased
(4)	Margrett Sizemore	1111
(5)	Susan	1111
(6)	Stacey Sizemore	Living
	Ford <sup>or Bailey</sup> Sizemore	1111
	Sehon Sizemore	Deceased
	Mash	1111

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: William W Bailey

son of Tempa Sizemore daughter of  
Ephraim Sizemore and he also of Tal  
are Henry Sizemore

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

William Bailey acherakee through the  
Sizemore family which was  
acherakee Indians and are on the Roll of  
1835

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William W Bailey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sep, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

A. J. Pirkle

and

S. J. Puckett

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

William W. Bailey

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Andrew J Pirkle

S. J. Puckett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sep, 1910.

J. Blackwood

Notary Public.

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No. 36930  
Name Louisa Dover and 3 children. Action: Reject  
Residence: Lula, Ga.

Reasons:

Daughter of #40805

36930

No 36930

Name *Louisa Daven*

With No. ....

Remarks:

#

Not on roll,  
Return suppl. for affidavit of  
witnesses.



No. 36930.

Name *Lucia Borr.*

With No. 40805.

Remarks:

Wang & Co. -  
40805-

No. 38930

3 Children.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

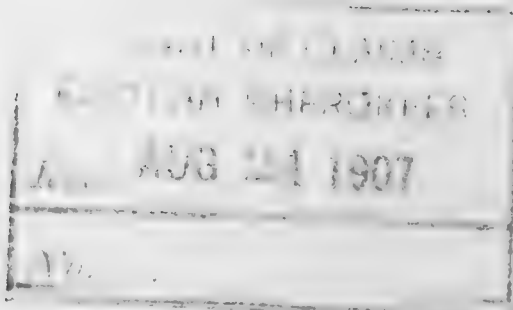
APPLICATION

OF

Larisa Dover

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern  
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved  
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the  
Court of Claims of May 19, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36430

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Ella Louisa Dover

Indian name:

Lomax.

2. Residence:

Lula Ga R F D no 3.

3. Town and post office:

Lula Ga.

4. County:

Banks

5. State:

Georgia

6. Date and place of birth:

1878 Banks Co Ga

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Through my  
Greatgrand mother

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Will Dover 28

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

J. K. Cape

Indian name:

Gailey

Mother—English name:

Annett Cape

Indian name:

Gailey

Maiden name:

Annett Wynne

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Hall Co Ga.

Mother:

Banks Co Ga.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

In Banks Co Ga.

Mother:

In Banks Co Ga.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

Mother:

Living.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Will Cape	1876	Living
(2)	Fremman Cape	1877	"
(3)	Louisa Cape	1878	"
(4)	Lida Cape	1880	"
(5)	Carrie Cape	1881	"
(6)	Allie Cape	1882	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Orange Gaily	Eliyas Wyner
Gaily	

17. Where were they born? In Hall Co. Ga.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Hall Co. Ga.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name:	Marshall Gaily
	Indian name:	Gaily
	Residence:	Not known
(2)	English name:	Hester A. Gaily
	Indian name:	Gaily
	Residence:	Not known
(3)	English name:	Consada Gaily
	Indian name:	Gaily
	Residence:	Not known
(4)	English name:	Ida Cape
	Indian name:	Gaily
	Residence:	Hall Co. Ga.
(5)	English name:	J. C. Herring
	Indian name:	Gaily
	Residence:	Wheatherford

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

J. K. Cape (Galey) Amett Cape  
(Galey) Orange Galey Eliya Wynne

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Louisa Dover

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires

March 31, 1908

A. A. White

Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

S. S. Chambers

and

R. F. Meier

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with Louisa Dover, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 5 years,

respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and

that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

S. S. Chambers  
R. F. Meier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires

March 31, 1908

A. A. White

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Ex H. Jones.*  
*Wm. H. Jones.*  
*Sarah H. Jones.*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of May, 1908  
*A. A. Whitte*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 31, 1912.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36930

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

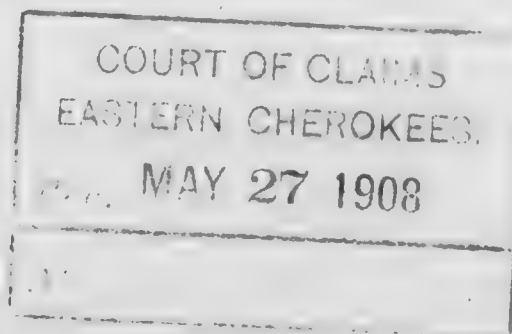
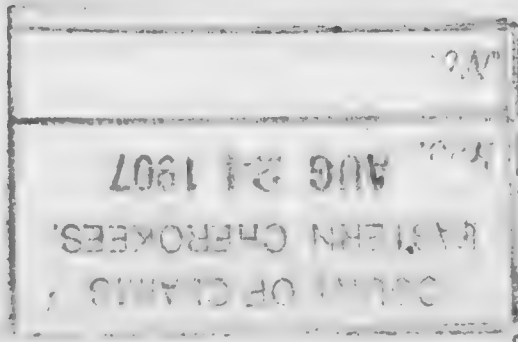
### SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Ella Louisa Dover*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. ....

1. State your full name: Ella Louisa Daver
2. Residence and post office: Lula R F D no 3.
3. County: Banks
4. State: Georgia.
5. Date and place of birth: 1878. Banks Co Ga.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Will Daver 28.
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokees
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Rosa Daver</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>
(2)	<u>Zelure Daver</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1903</u>
(3)	<u>Cora Daver</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1906</u>
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Louisa Daver

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug. 1907.

A. A. White.  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

March 31, 1908.



# AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. H. Jones and  
Sarah Jones who, being duly sworn, on oath depose  
 and say that they are well acquainted with Ella Louisa Dover who makes the  
 foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 14 years and 14 years,  
 respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that  
 on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by  
her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. H. Jones  
Sarah Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of May, 1908  
A. A. White  
 Notary Public.

My commission expires March 31, 1912.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36930

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Ella Louisa Dover

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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 EASTERN CHEROKEES  
 MAY 27 1908

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 EASTERN CHEROKEES  
 MAY 27 1908



Appl. #36930

May 11, 1908.

Louisa Dover,  
R. F. D. #3,  
Tula, Ga.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1881, and where was he or she residing in 1884-85, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1884-85?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Enclosed you will please find supplemental application filed by you which was incompletely filled out; the affidavit for witnesses not being executed. Please have this affidavit filled out, signed by two witnesses and acknowledged before a notary public or other officer.

Very respectfully,

CLB/ALS

Special Commissioner

AB

Lula Ga. May 20. 1908.  
R.F.D. No 3  
Box 30.

Hon. Givon Miller

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir. In reply to your letter of May 11. I will say my  
1. Grand Parents once resided with the Cherokee Indians in Hall Co. Ga. in 1834-5.  
2. My Grand Parents were recognized as White people. My Parents were recognized as Negroes. and so on and so on.

3. I do not know why my Parents were not enrolled in 1857. (2) in Hall Co. Ga.  
30 in Hall Co. Ga.

4 My grand parents and  
parents were slaves of white  
people. Respectfully  
Laurie Dover.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. MAY 27 1908
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Louisa Dover,  
R.F.D. #3,  
~~Ind.~~ Ga.



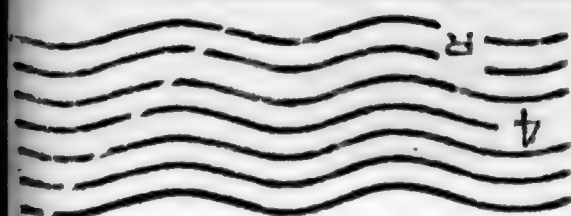
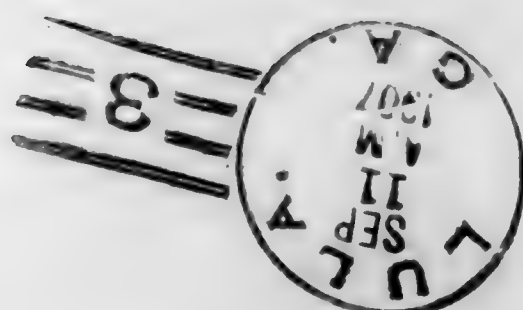
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Louisa Dover,

R.F.D. #3,

~~Inda~~, Ga.



No. 36931

Name Dillard J. Bryan and 3 children. Action: Repet

Reasons: Residence: Pendergrass, Ga,  
Route 10,

Nephew to Mr. J. Bryan (15227) and claims  
from the same source,

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No. 36931-

Name Willard F. Bryan

With No. 15227.

Remarks:



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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

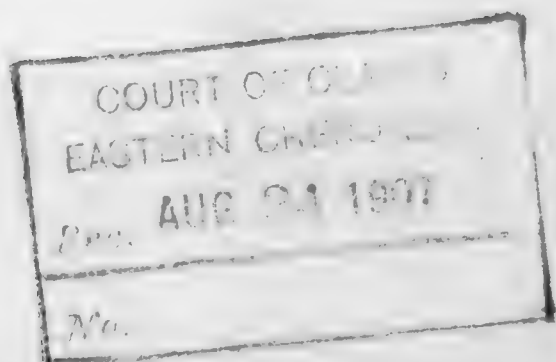
APPLICATION

OF

*Sillard & Bryan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Dillard F. Bryan

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Pendergrass Ga, R.F.D. #10

3. County:

Jackson

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

30

Born

1877

6. Where were you born?

Lumpkin Co. Ga.

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Susan A. Tabor. Bryan

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Cora S. Bryan	8	1899
(2)	Zora M. Bryan	6	1901
(3)	Mary C. Bryan	2	1905
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

James C. Bryan

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Hannah M. Bryan

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Hannah M. Sargent

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Lumpkin Co. Ga.

Mother:

" " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: still living

Mother: died 1903

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Not to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	J. A. Bryan Jackson Co. Ga.	1878	
(2)	Lueinda E. Byrnes Grinder Ga.	1881	
(3)	J. R. Bryan	1884	1904
(4)	Nancy A. Seabolt Hall Co. Ga.	1884	
(5)	J. W. Bryan Atlanta Ga.	1886	
(6)	Laura B. Cheek Atlanta Ga.	1888	
(7)	Ella M. Bryan Atlanta Ga.	1889	
(8)	W. B. Bryan	1897	1903

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Lumpkin Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	J. C. Bryan	Atlanta Ga.
(2)	Mary E. Parkes	Dead
(3)	J. S. Bryan	"
(4)	A. M. Storer	"
(5)	W. J. Bryan	Rome Ga.
(6)	W. R. Bryan	Rome Ga.
(7)	Nancy J. Lind	M. R.
(8)	B. M. Bryan	Jackson Co. Ga.
(9)	M. E. Bryan	" "
(10)	Carrie A. Eades	" "



sible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John W. Bryan  
Martha E. Bryan

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Sargent  
Elizabeth Sargent

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Lumpkin Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) J. E. Bryan
- (2) Mary E. Parkes
- (3) J. S. Bryan
- (4) A. M. Stover
- (5) W. J. Bryan
- (6) W. B. Bryan
- (7) Nancy J. Linds
- (8) B. M. Bryan
- (9) M. E. Bryan
- (10) Carrie A. Eades

Atlanta Ga.  
Dead  
"  
"  
Rome Ga.  
Rome Ga.  
M. D.  
Jackson Co. Ga.  
"  
"  
"



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father was J. C. Bryan -  
Son of John W. Bryan - who was born 1835-

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Martha E. Bryan - wife of John W. Bryan -  
was 1/8 Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

D. F. Bryan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug- 1907.

J. M. Loden

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. T. McDonald

and E. A. Eades who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with D. F. Bryan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. T. McDonald

E. A. Eades

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug- 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

J. M. Loden

Justice of the Peace

Notary Public.

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No. 36932

Action: Repet.

Name James J. Whitehead and 6 children. Residence: Ripston, Ala.

Reasons:

Applicant fails to show any connection with the Eastern Cherokees. No ancestor appears on the roll. It seems that no ancestor was a party to the treaties of 1835-36-46.

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No 36932

Name James T. Whitehead

With No. ....

Remarks:

Not on rolls.

Write for ~~date~~ date of birth  
if born in 1860

1/2/34

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

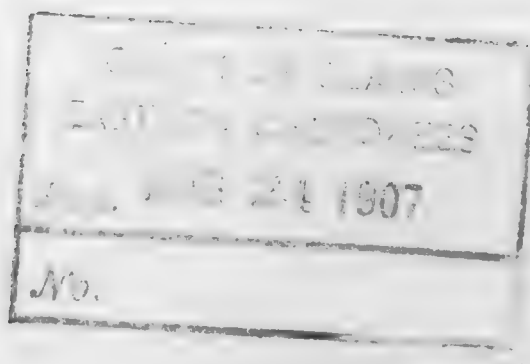
APPLICATION

OF

*James T. Whitehead*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decision of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36932



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

42

Born

March 26<sup>th</sup> 1865

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Bessie B Whitehead	15	
(2)	Harry Whitehead	12	
(3)	Artimus Whitehead	9	
(4)	Jorris Whitehead Jr	7	
(5)	Nellie M Whitehead	5	
(6)	Leora E Whitehead	1	

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: George

Mother: George

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died June 1907

Mother: Died 1886

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Martha Edwards</u>	<u>1853</u>	<u>May 26-1900</u>
(2)	<u>Bodie Hall</u>	<u>1855-52 years old</u>	
	<u>Wallace ala</u>		
(3)	<u>Katie Lee</u>	<u>1861</u>	
	<u>Selma ala</u>		
(4)	<u>Corene Jernigan</u>	<u>1870</u>	
	<u>Wallace ala</u>		
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Richard Kennedy</u>	<u>Richard Kennedy</u>
<u>Betsy Kennedy</u>	<u>Betsy Kennedy</u>
<u>William Whitehead</u>	
<u>Elizabeth Whitehead</u>	

18. Where were they born? Grandfather Whitehead born in South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? I think they lived in Henry Co Ala

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Henry Kennedy</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Piercy Kennedy</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Gerney Kennedy</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

*All Dead "on both sides"*



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Have no record and cannot  
give names as far back

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim my mother to be full blood Cherokee  
Indian. I claim my father to be  
full blooded white man

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James J Whitehead

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug 1907.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 24<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L J Brantley  
and C H Stallworth, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with James J Whitehead  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents  
claim to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

[Signature]  
C H Stallworth

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 24<sup>th</sup>, 1908. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

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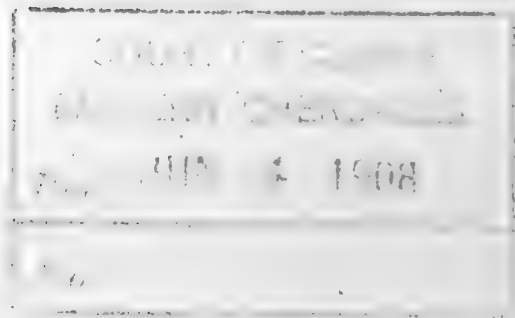
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Mobile, Ala.  
Nov. 29, 1867.

to the commissioners of the  
court of claims Dear Sir,  
Please let me know what  
the commissioners court  
have about our charged  
Indian claims, and I will  
thank you for your kindness.  
write to me at Mobile  
Alabama Merrill place 40.

Yours Truly  
Jas. T. Whitehead



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April 31  
1908.

Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims  
Dear sir.

My Grand Father and  
Grand Mother on my  
Mother side was full  
blood Cherokee Indian  
my Father was a white  
American born. I. C. White  
my was married

d.

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My grandfather and  
grand mother was  
not slaves they  
was with the  
Cherokee Indian. will  
bring to the  
month of your truly

James T. Whitehead  
Mobile Ala.

Cedar & Georgia St.  
Leave get my name  
from you soon -

3  
I have got witness  
to prove when  
my Peoples was  
brought to this  
country

Mullemae five  
years old 13 of Aug.  
1908.  
Cora Dr. 2 years old  
14 of Jan 1909.



Appl. #36932

May 11, 1908.

James T. Whitehead,  
Repton, Ala.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indian or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 184-55, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-55?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Please give the dates of the births of your youngest children.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CMB/ALS

No. 36933

Action:.....

Name Takey Jordan and ..... children. Residence:.....

Reasons:

*Duplicate of # 8433.*

36933

No. 36 933-5

Name

With No. 8433

Remarks:

Jakey Jordan

Louis Brown

Chas. W.

No. 300022

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION  
OF

Takey Jorden

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
AUG 04 1907  
No.

36933



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601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Takey Jorden

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Sall's aw,

3. County: Sequoyah

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? Fifty-Three Born 1854

6. Where were you born? Sequoyah District

7. Are you married? widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Charles W. Barnes</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>July 30th, 1876.</u>
(2)	<u>Turner Barnes</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>April 5th, 1878</u>
(3)	<u>Sam Barnes</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>May 26th, 1881</u>
(4)	<u>John Jorden</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>September 14th, 1889</u>
(5)	<u>Bell Jorden</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>October 14, 1891.</u>
(6)	<u>Amelia Jorden</u>		<u>April 20, 1893.</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Det Youngpuppy

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Polly Youngpuppy

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Polly Langley

12. Where were they born?

Father: unknown

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Sequoyah District,

Mother: Sequoyah District,

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Father died time of the war

Mother: unknown

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Andrew Youngpuppy</u>		<u>dead</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>oant</u>	<u>oant</u>

18. Where were they born? Old Country

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Sequoyah District,

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>oant</u>	
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 1885, 1894, and all other payments during my life time, and have an allotment in the Cheekee Nation, being a Citizen thereof.
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: oant

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My former apliation No 8433 is on file this is my suppliment application for my minor children, I have always been told that I had two sisters and one brother who died before I was borned.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. M. Faye (Signature) Takey Jorden  
John Hannah  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1909

John Hannah  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. C. Greenfield  
and George W. Silk, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Takey Jorden  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person She represents herself to be, and that the statements made by Her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

E. M. Faye  
John Hannah

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. C. Greenfield  
George W. Silk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1909

John Hannah  
Notary Public.

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No. 36934  
Name Samuel Barnes and 2 children.

Action: Admit

Residence: Sallisaw, Okla.

Reasons:

Son of #8433.

36934



36934  
Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 13639-40-41-  
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 4288-  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

JUL 26 1910  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Samuel Barnes

*pm*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Samuel Barnes.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Recd. AUG 24 1907

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Samuel Barnes

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Sallisaw,

3. County: Sequoyah

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? Twenty-Six Born May 26th, 1881.

6. Where were you born? Sequoyah

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mabel Age 23

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? White

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Pheaby Barnes</u>	<u>2.</u>	<u>July 27th, 1895.</u>
(2)	<u>Phema Barnes</u>	<u>2.</u>	<u>July 27, 1905'</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Tom Barnes

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Takey Jordan

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Takey Youngmappy

12. Where were they born?

Father: unknown

Mother: Sequoyah District Cherokee Nation.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: wasnt living

Mother: wasnt living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1885.

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians Father 1885, mother 1885, 1894, and has an allotment in the Cherokee Nation, being a Citizen thereof.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Charles T. Barnes</u>	<u>July 30th, 1876.</u>	
	<u>Turner Barnes</u>	<u>April 5th, 1878.</u>	
(2)	<u>John Jordan 1/2 brother</u>	<u>Sept 14th, 1889.</u>	
	<u>Bell Jordan 1/2 sister</u>	<u>Oct 14th, 1891</u>	
(3)	<u>Amelia Jordan "</u>	<u>April 20th, 1893.</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Bill Barnes

Bat Youngpuppy

Charlott Barnes

Pelly Youngpuppy.

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Andre Youngpuppy.

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Payment 1885, and have an allotment in the Cherokee Nation, being a Citizen thereof.
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: cant give them.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Samuel Barnes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 31, 1909

John Hannah  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L.C. Greenfield

and George W. Silk, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel Barnes, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person He represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E.M. Fry L.C. Greenfield  
John Hannah George W. Silk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 31, 1909 John Hannah  
Notary Public.

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No. 36935  
Name Chas H. Barnes and one children. Action: Admit  
Residence: Ballisaw, Okla  
Reasons:

Son of #8433

36935

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 3024-25-

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 4473-  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

Charles W. Barnes

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No. 05995

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

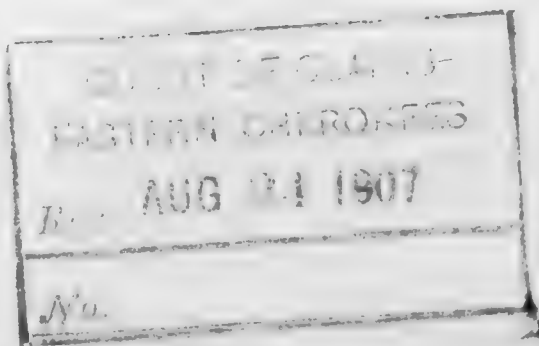
APPLICATION

OF

Charles V. Barnes.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36935



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Charles V. Barnes,

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Gallatin, I. T.

3. County: Sequoyah

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? Thirty Born July 30th, 1876.

6. Where were you born? Sequoyah District Cherokee Nation.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Emma Barnes, borned Feby 3rd, 1880.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? White

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Bonnie Barnes</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Nov 27, 1898</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Tom Barnes

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Takey Jordan

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Takey Youngpuppy

12. Where were they born?

Father: unknown

Mother: Sequoyah District Cherokee Nation.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: wasnt living

Mother: wasnt living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1885

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: 1885, mother in 1885, 1894, and has an allotment

in the Cherokee Nation, being a Citizen thereof.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Turner Barnes</u>	<u>April 5th, 1878</u>	
	<u>Sam Barnes</u>	<u>May 26, 1881.</u>	
(2)	<u>John Jordan, 1/2 brother</u>	<u>September 14th, 1882.</u>	
	<u>Bell Jordan, " sister</u>	<u>Oct 14th, 1891.</u>	
(3)	<u>Amelia Jordan " "</u>	<u>April 30th, 1893.</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Bill Barnes</u>	<u>Bat Youngpuppy</u>
<u>Charlott Barnes</u>	<u>Polly Youngpuppy</u>

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Sequoyah Distriot, Cherokee Nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Andrew Youngpuppy dead</u>	
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians Payment 1885, 1894, and have an allotment  
in the Cherokee Nation, being a Citizen thereof.
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: cant give them

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Charles W Barnes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 31, 1909

John Hannah  
Notary Public.

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. C. Greenfield

and George W. Silk, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Charles W. Barnes.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person He represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. M. Fox  
John Hannah

L. C. Greenfield  
George W. Silk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 31, 1909

John Hannah  
Notary Public.

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No. 36936

Action: *Rejected*

Name *David M. Kuper* and *X* children. Residence: *Wells, N.C.*

Reasons: *Sizemore Case*

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No. 36936

Name David M. Stampfer

With No. "F"

Remarks :

67 No. 34936

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*David M. Stumper*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he ~~or she~~ belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Ashe County - near Laurel Springs

Mother: In Ashe County " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1853

Mother: In 1863

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)	<u>All Dead</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Salamon Stamper</u>	<u>John Stamper</u>

18. Where were they born?

In Ashe Co NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>William Stamper</u>	<u>Ashe Co NC</u>
(2)	<u>Jonathan Stamper</u>	<u>Indiana</u>
(3)	<u>George Stamper</u>	<u>Ashe Co NC</u>
(4)	<u>Riley Stamper</u>	<u>Alleghany Co NC</u>
(5)	<u>Susan Stamper</u>	<u>Missouri Harbor &amp; name</u>
(6)	<u>Betty Stamper</u>	<u>not known</u> <u>Ashe County NC</u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grandmother Betty Sizemore by  
name before marriage) daughter of Ned Sizemore  
a Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) David Mitchell Stampfer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

J. H. Bayard  
Notary Public  
Clark Superior Court

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Rufus A. Doughton  
and Thomas B. Richardson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Doris Mitchell Stampfer  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jas M. Wagoner

Rufus A. Doughton  
Thomas B. Richardson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

First Monday in Dec, 1910

J. H. Bayard  
Notary Public  
Clark Superior Court

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notified to be  
present at  
Laurel Springs  
but evidently  
failed to  
appear.

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North Carolina.

Alleghany

Sherman Hoppers being duly sworn says  
that he is 75 years old and has been a  
Resident of said County and State all his  
life that he personally knew - had known - George  
and Elizabeth Symore their sister and  
said Elizabeth Symore, (was Mary Stamp  
Grandmother) and claims to be a <sup>Christian</sup> and  
and that <sup>he</sup> personally knew said Stamp  
for 60 years

I swear to the foregoing to be true

This April 10 1908

F. L. Richardson - J. H. Symore

Mc 86936

North Carolina,  
County of Alleghany.

I, J. M. Edwards Clerk Superior

Court for said County certify that F. L. Richardson whose  
genuine signature appears to the foregoing or annexed  
instrument is, and was at the time he signed the

same, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said county, and  
full faith and credit is due his official acts.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in  
Sparta, this 13<sup>th</sup> day of April 1908

J. M. Edwards  
Clerk Superior Court.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 30 1909  
No. 34939

*Wm. H. H.*

Gakerville Ky

Mr. J. W. ...

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Joseph P. Conley  
Lakewood, Ky.

No. 36937  
Name: Yona Johnson and X children. Action: Admitted  
Residence: Cherokee, N. C.  
Reasons:

1/2 brother to John Lassic (15832) and  
claims through same father as released  
by Chapman #84.

No. 36937-

Name Yona Johnson

With No. 15832

Remarks:



Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 10240

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1283  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

Mona <sup>his</sup> Johnson  
Wash

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No. 36937

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Yona Johnson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. AUG 24 1907 No.
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

They were living but Residence is unknown

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Living

Mother:

"

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

1851 - 1852 - 1869 and 1883, with Cherokee Indians.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Cider Johnson Birdtown, N.C.		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Johnson Kati-gu-ski, unknown

Gah-dih-tlosh.

18. Where were they born?

Unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

Steve Johnson,

Birdtown, N.C.

(2)

Jennie Johnson,

" " "

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: by Hester 1873.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*with to mark*  
*James Blythe*  
*202 Hunch,*

(Signature)

*Jonah X Johnson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

*James Blythe*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

September 13, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*W. B. French*

and

*Stella Blythe*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*Jonah Johnson*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 15 years and

10 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*W. B. French*

*Stella Blythe*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

September 13, 1908.

*James Blythe*

Notary Public.

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No. 36438,

Name

Lillie B. Webb, and X children.

Action:

Repeat.

Reasons:

Indigent & one.

Residence:

W. W. W. Co.

36438

No. 36431

Name Lillie B. Hearn

With No. 10111111

Remarks : 11 2

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Lillie B. Webb*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. AUG 24 1907 No. _____
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

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(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: for Land about 10 years ago

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

- |     | NAME.                      | BORN.                     | DIED.    |
|-----|----------------------------|---------------------------|----------|
| (1) | Martha B. Halcomb nee Webb | Nov 11 <sup>th</sup> 1865 | Apr 1884 |
| (2) | J. S. Webb                 | July 4 <sup>th</sup> 1867 |          |
|     | L. W. Webb                 | July 29, 1869             |          |
| (3) | Sarah J. Cruse nee Webb    | Sep 5 1871                |          |
| (4) | Eliza M. Webb              | June 3 1873               |          |
| (5) | Mary E. Denny nee Webb     | Jan 29 1876               |          |
| (6) | Maggie P. Norman nee Webb  | July 27 1880              |          |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Grat Grand Father John S. Pindexter  
Grat Grand Mother Sarah Pindexter nee James  
Father A. Webb  
Mother Fanner B. Webb nee Pindexter  
Nancy Turk nee Turk

18. Where were they born? Near East Bend N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Near East Bend N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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|-----|-----------------------------|----------------|
| (1) | Eliza A. Webb nee Pindexter | Deed           |
| (2) | J. P. Webb                  | East Bend N.C. |
| (3) | John A. Webb                | East Bend N.C. |
| (4) | W. A. Webb                  | East Bend      |
| (5) | Sarah M. Spangler nee Webb  | Pinebl N.C.    |
| (6) |                             |                |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father L. P. Webb Grant

Mother Hanner B. Webb one Penderexter Daughter of  
John S. Penderexter Son of Bettie Pledge Penderexter Daughter  
or Grand Daughter of DOMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I Claim My Father Son of Hanner B. Webb Daughter of John S. Penderexter  
Son of Bettie Pledge Penderexter who was the wife of Thomas Penderexter  
and Daughter or grand Daughter of DOMARKS

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Lillie B. Webb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of Aug 1907.

J. Lu. Norman

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 24th, 1908

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. G. Stule

and

A. G. Ring

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Lillie B. Webb

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. G. Stule Jr

Arthur G. Ring

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 24th, 1908

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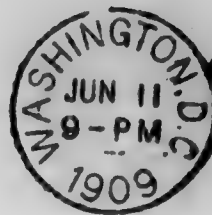
J. Lu. Norman

Notary Public.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

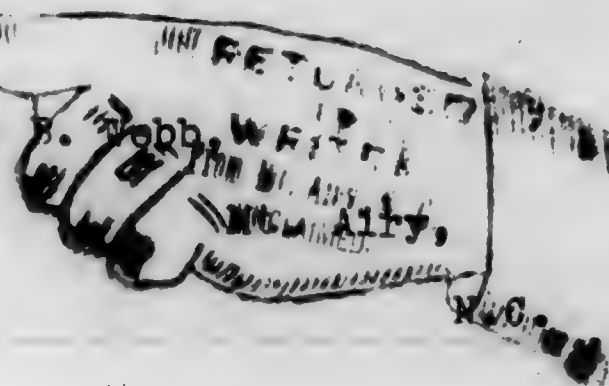


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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Lillie B. Webb*  
*Mt Airy, N.C.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36938, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 36939.

Action: Reject

Name: Josie S. Conley and 3 children.

Residence: Farmers Ky.

Reasons: It does not appear that applicant  
or ancestor were ever enrolled  
with the Cherokees, or parties to  
treaties of 1835-36-40.

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No. 36939 *Field*  
*Rowell Co. Ky.*

Name *Joie S. Conley*

With No. *Refect*

Remarks: *File*

*Not an ally.  
Ancestor then  
whom applicant  
claims did not  
live in Cherokee  
County in 1835-6.  
Ancestors not parties  
to treaty of 1835-6-1846*



*Supl.*

No. 36939

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

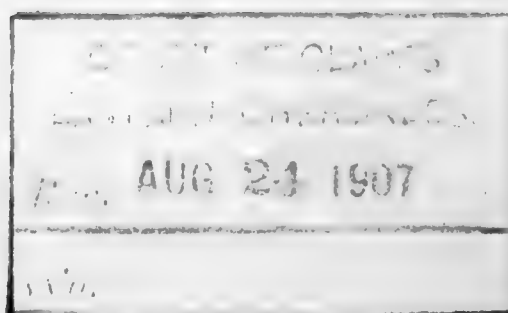
APPLICATION

OF

*Josie S. Conley*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Josie S. Conley

Indian name:

none

2. Residence:

Farmers

3. Town and post office:

Farmers

4. County:

Rowan

5. State:

Kentucky

6. Date and place of birth:

Oct 24th 1874 near Pineville Mo

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

By my mother  
Elizabeth Conkline

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

James S Conley

age 37

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

John M Conkline

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Elizabeth Worthington

Indian name:

Elizabeth Buckhalter

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Pennsylvania

Mother:

Wassonville Tenn.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Penn.

Mother:

Tenn.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

Mother:

Mar 13 1907

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John F Conklin	Mar 2, 1873	
(2)	Ginnie M Conklin	Feb 15, 1876	
(3)	William B Conklin	Nov 18, 1879	date of death not known
(4)	Edward P Conklin	Feb 12, 1881	" " " " "
(5)	Robert Lee Conklin	Mar 14, 1882	
(6)	Gertrude B Conklin	June 18, 1885	
	Hattie F Conklin	Mar 12, 1886	
	Norah Conklin		

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

was English

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Nancy Worthington  
Buckhalter

17. Where were they born? In Tennessee

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Tennessee

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: not known

Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: .....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

*Josie S Conley*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 15, 1910

*Lee Graycraft*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*F M Gullett*

and

*R B Candill*

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Josie S Conley*, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 12 years and ..... years,

respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and

that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*F M Gullett*

*R B Candill*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 15, 1910

*Lee Graycraft*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Witnesses to Mark.

have no interest whatever in this claim.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*South Appert*  
*F. M. Gullett*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of September, 1907.  
*W. C. Craycraft*

Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 13, 1910.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36939

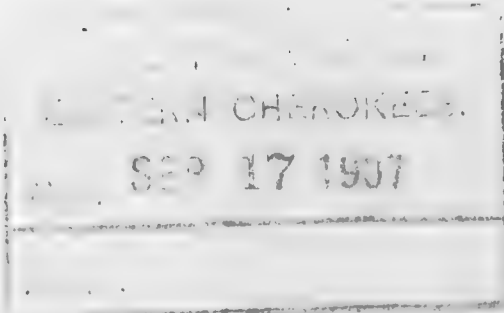
## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*Josie S. Conley*  
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



# Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 76939

1. State your full name: Josie S. Conley
2. Residence and post office: Farmers
3. County: Rowan
4. State: North Carolina
5. Date and place of birth: 10/18/84 near Pineville MO
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: James S. Conley 37 yrs old
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? he belongs to none
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Vaudie Conley</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Nov 4th 1896</u>
(2)	<u>Lola Conley</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>July 8th 1899</u>
(3)	<u>Alva Conley</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>11 11 1901</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

## REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Josie S. Conley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of September 1907.

Le Brayercraft  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Feb 15, 1910.

# AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me South Arnett and F. M. Gullett who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Josie S. Bonney who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 12 years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
South Arnett  
F. M. Gullett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of September, 1907.

Lee Graycraft  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb 15, 1910.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

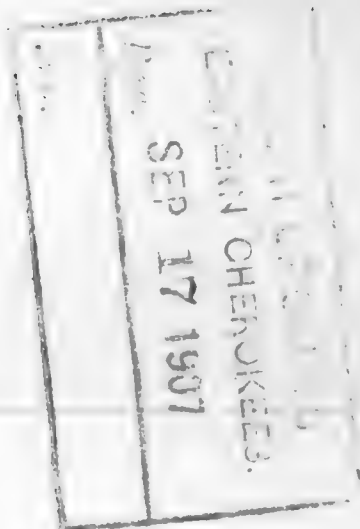
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Josie S. Bonney

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



Appl. #36939

May 11, 1908.

Josie S. Conley,  
Farmers, Ky.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35 if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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Appl 36939.

CALLOWAY HOWARD,  
ATTORNEY AT LAW,  
SALYERSVILLE, KY.

CHB

Salyersville, Ky., May 27<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

Guyan Miller,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your request of May 11th, relative to the application of Jessie S. Conley, of Farmers, Ky. for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund. I will say that the applicant, resided with the Cherokee Tribe during most of the year 1895, at Grove I.T. and worked for T. S. Rensen, who's wife was a Cherokee Indian. I was recognized as a white person and perhaps my parents and grand-parents were likewise recognized in society, but it has been generally understood by our relatives and intimate friends that we were Indians where we resided.

My grand-parents, that is, my grand mother through whom I claim, resided near McMinn or McMinnville Tenn. in 1834-35. I am unable to explain why grand-mother was not enrolled in 1851, except, I give it as my opinion from the information which I received from my relatives, that she had no knowledge or information of the requirement of said enrollment.

Neither my parents or grand-parents were ever slaves to my knowledge.

I have ~~not~~ removed from Farmers, Ky. to Lakeville, Ky. and my present Post Office address is Lakeville, Ky. where you will address all future communications. You will also note of record Calloway Howard of Salyersville, Ky. whom I appoint as my true and lawful attorney to prosecute this claim, and inform him from time to time of such steps as is necessary for its com-

*April, 26 1891,*

GALLOWAY HOWARD,  
ATTORNEY AT LAW.  
SALYERSVILLE, KY.

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pletion.

Respectfully,

*Josie S. Conley*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 16 1909  
No. 36939.

Lakesville, N. Y.  
Sep. 13, 1909.

Mr. Union Miller

Sir

In replying to yours of aug  
31st 1909. I sent in exceptions  
on aug the 27. and I sent them  
to the office of special  
Commissioner and was afraid  
they hadnt went to the site  
hands. So if it is not sent  
to the proper one please



forward them back to  
me and I will send them  
to the Clerk if it hasn't  
already been handed over  
to him & I remain  
hoping to hear soon  
very respectfully  
Josiah S. Conley,

Lakeville  
N. Y.

No. of copy 36.939.  
the affidavit of  
John M. Conklin  
of Pineville Mo.

No. 36940.

Action: *Repet*

Name *Joel H. Cornish* and *8* children. Residence: *Swain, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 2005 and claims through  
the same source.*

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N. C. Swan Co. Roll  
No. 36940

Name Joel H. Crisp  
With No. 2005

Remarks: 43681

not on roll.

These should be  
with #2005 or 5467  
Claiming through  
Hester Black-  
Thompson -  
Same as the  
Sawyer

*Supl.*  
*First Claim*  
*No. 31940*  
*amount of \$2000*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

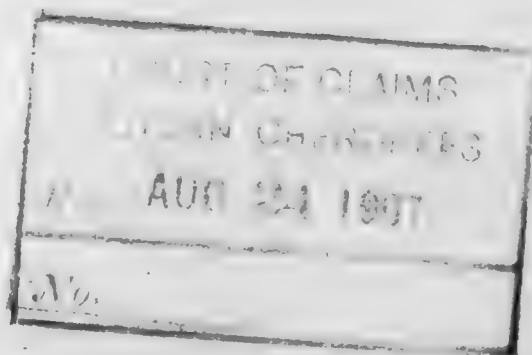
**APPLICATION**

OF

*John H. Crisp*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1900, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: *Joel Harvey Crisp*  
Indian name: *"*
2. Residence: *Swain P. Swain Co. N.C.*
3. Town and post office: *Swain*
4. County: *Swain*
5. State: *N.C.*
6. Date and place of birth: *Cherokee Co. N.C. 1854*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *By being related to Hester Black Thompson*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Eliza Crisp*  
*Forty Three years of age.*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: *Miller Crisp*  
Indian name: *"*  
Mother—English name: *Nancy Crisp*  
Indian name: *"*  
Maiden name: *Nancy Crisp*
11. Where were they born?  
Father: *Cherokee County N.C.*  
Mother: *Jackson County N.C.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: *Cherokee County N.C.*  
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—  
Father: *Killed in Army 1864* Mother: *Living (84 yrs old)*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: \_\_\_\_\_

*No.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death: .

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Manley Crisp</i>	<i>1847</i>	<i>1893</i>
(2)	<i>Stanley "</i>	<i>1849</i>	<i>Living</i>
(3)	<i>Lafayette "</i>	<i>1851</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Bellie "</i>	<i>1856</i>	<i>1896</i>
(5)	<i>Mary "</i>	<i>1859</i>	<i>1891</i>
(6)	<i>Martha "</i>	<i>1863</i>	<i>1865</i>

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Ellie Crisp</i>	<i>William Crisp</i>
<i>Polly Crisp</i>	<i>Milly Crisp</i>

17. Where were they born? *I Can not tell*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *I can not tell*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<i>Nathan Crisp</i>
Indian name:	<i>" "</i>
Residence:	<i>Died in 1892 age 70 yrs</i>
(2) English name:	<i>William Crisp</i>
Indian name:	<i>" "</i>
Residence:	<i>Died in 1887 Age 50 yrs</i>
(3) English name:	<i>James Crisp</i>
Indian name:	<i>" "</i>
Residence:	<i>Almond N.C. Age 70 yrs</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Polly Crisp</i>
Indian name:	<i>" "</i>
Residence:	<i>Died in 1900 45 yrs</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Martha Crisp</i>
Indian name:	<i>" "</i>
Residence:	<i>Died in 1889 48 yrs</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *No.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

My father's name was Miller Crisp who was a son of Ellic Crisp - My father's mother was Polly Crisp who was a daughter of Hester Black Thompson.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Joel Harvey Crisp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug., 1907

My commission expires

Nov., 1907

R. M. Thomason

Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Louis Medlin and James M. Crisp, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Joel Harvey Crisp, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Louis Medlin

James M. Crisp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug., 1907

My commission expires

April, 1913

W. B. Campbell

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



On May 26, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

W. A. Brown

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. G. Wright

W. A. Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17

day of Sept.

1907.

G. P. Williams

My commission expires Dec. 19, 1908 Notary Public.  
Cherokee Superior Court.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36940

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

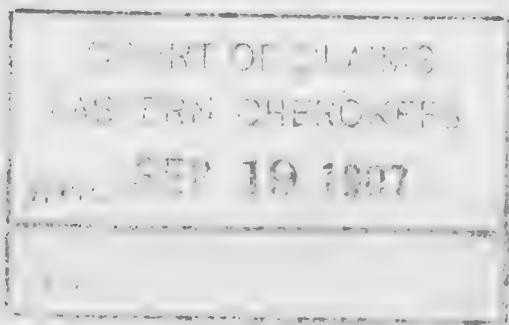
### SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Joel H. Crisp

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.





## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Oway Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 36940.

1. State your full name: Joel H. Crisp
2. Residence and post office: Bryson City
3. County: Swain
4. State: N. C.
5. Date and place of birth: My age is 53 was born in Cherokee Co
6. Are you married? yes married twice first wife Mary Rogers
7. Name and age of wife or husband: my second wife Eliza Crisp
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Not any
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mora Crisp</u>	<u>20 years old</u>	
(2)	<u>Willie Crisp</u>	<u>18 years old</u>	
(3)	<u>Liddia Crisp</u>	<u>14 years old</u>	
(4)	<u>Roy Crisp</u>	<u>12 years old</u>	
(5)	<u>Lloyd Crisp</u>	<u>9 years old</u>	
(6)	<u>Coda Crisp</u>	<u>6 years old</u>	
	<u>fred Crisp</u>	<u>5 years old</u>	
10.	Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, <u>Robert Crisp 2 years old</u>		
	and with what tribe of Indians: <u>unknown</u>		

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Miller Crisp is my father and Polly Thompson is the mother of my father and the mother of Polly Thompson was Hester Black a part Indian.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Joel Harvey Crisp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Sept. 1907.

O. P. Williams

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Dec. 1900, 1900.

# AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S. G. Baird and W. H. Hyde who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Joel H. Crisp who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 22 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Hyde

S. G. Baird

J. A. Brown

W. H. Hyde

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Sept., 1907.

O. P. Williams

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec. 1910

Clark Superior Court.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36440

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Joel H. Crisp

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



Appl. #36940

May 11, 1908.

Joel L. Crisp,  
Swain, N. C.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS



State of North Carolina.

Sworn to  
Pearneley appeared before me  
Nancy L. Sawyer and after  
being duly sworn depose and  
test that she was well  
acquainted with One Hester Black  
and it was her understanding  
that she Hester Black was a half  
blended Indian. Sworn to before  
me this Aug 26 1907

Edw. Campbell  
Justice of the Peace



State of North Carolina  
Swain Co

Personally before me, Lewis  
Medlin after being duly sworn  
deposes and says that he was  
acquainted with Hester Black  
and that it was always reported  
that the said Hester Black  
had Indian Blood in her.  
Sworn to before me This 21 day  
Aug 1907

L. P. Campbell  
Justice of the Peace

Dear Sirs, would say to send  
Minor Children on a separate  
Bank & if so please notify me  
at Once  
Yours, James C. Crisp

No. 36941-

Action: Reject.

Name Willie B. Webb and X children. Residence: Jackson, Tenn.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-66 1846. Shows no real connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

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~~Leaves, Madison Co. Ark.~~

No 36941

Name Lillie B. Webb

With No. ....

Remarks:

That are rolls.

better July 15/08.



U. S. Department of Agriculture,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK.

From *Francis Ramsey,*  
*214 Dycomore St.*  
*Jackson, Tenn.*

Dated *Aug 17*, 190*7*.

Received *Aug 22*, 190*7*.

SUBJECT:

*Indian Claims*

ACTION:

*Aug. 22, 1907.*  
Respectfully referred to *Commis-*  
*sioner of Indian Affairs*

*and the writer so advised.*

*JR Bunch*

Chief Clerk.

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No. 11

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

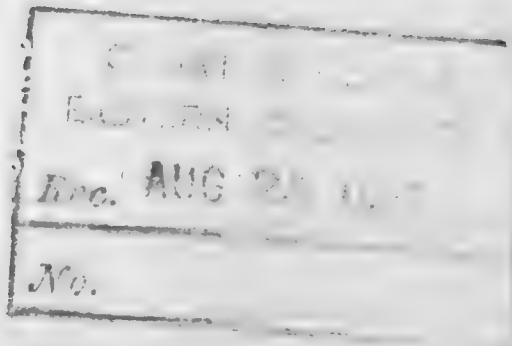
APPLICATION

OF

*Lillie B. Webb*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern  
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved  
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the  
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

My mother - Floss Ramsey was Indian  
also my Grand father was Indian  
his name was Joe Ramsey

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: None

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Willis Ramsey		
(2)	Mahda		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

17. Where were they born?

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: None



21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

<sup>his</sup>  
Francis + Ramsey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

13

day of

Aug

1907

My commission expires

Jan

1908

G. H. Long

Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. D. Anderson

and

\_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Francis Ramsey, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 45 years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

W. D. Anderson

D. J. Anderson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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My commission expires

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G. H. Long

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Jackson, Tenn., Aug 17<sup>th</sup> 1907

To the  
Hon. James Wilson  
Sec. State  
Washington D.C.

Hon Sir;  
I wrote you some time ago  
and in reply you sent me blanks  
to have filled out and sworn to which  
I return for your approval  
hoping to hear from you soon  
I am

Yours Truly Resp—  
H. S. Miller

207 Market St  
Jackson  
Tenn

Appl. #36941

May 11, 1908.

Lillie B. Webb,  
Jackson, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALS

No. 36941.

, July 15th, 1908.

Lillie B. Webb,  
214 Sycamore St.,  
Jackson, Tenn.

Madam:

On May 11th, 1908, a letter was sent you from this office requesting additional information in regard to your Eastern Cherokee claim. No reply has been received to that letter, and unless the additional information requested below is furnished, your claim must be rejected.

The additional information is:

1. Why were you, your parents or your grand-parents never enrolled?
2. Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?
3. Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846?
4. State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

by

W.S.T.-MSM.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 9 1908  
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No. 36941.

*This letter was returned by the post office*  
**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,**

**EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

**601 OURAY BUILDING,**

**WASHINGTON, D. C. , July 15th, 1908.**

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Jackson, Tenn.

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An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

*Union Miller*

Special Commissioner.

by *J.S.G.*

T.S.T.-MSM.

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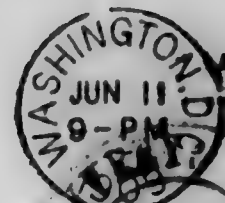
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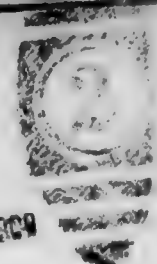
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Reverend B. Webb,*  
*Jackson, Tenn*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36941, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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~~James M. Sadden,~~  
~~Dickson, Tenn.~~

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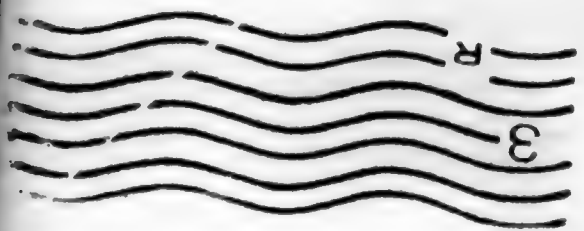
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~~Dickson, Tenn.~~

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# 36941

COURT OF CLAIMS  
NATIVE AMERICAN CHEROKEES.  
JUN 15 1908

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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your correct address.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Lillie B. Webb  
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Jackson, Tenn.  
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# 36941

COURT OF CLAIMS  
BETWEEN INDIANS  
AND THE GOVERNMENT  
JUN 15 1908



No. 36942

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Thos. Newman* and *4* children. Residence: *Tell Plains, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Great-nephew of #13003 and claims this same name.*

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No. 36942-45

Name Thos. Newman

With No. 13003

Remarks:

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*Grant Nelson*

No. 36942

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Thomas Ninemat*  
*4 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 24 1907
No. _____

36942

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Thomas Newman

Indian name: Payne

2. Residence and post office: Tellieplain's

3. County: Marion

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 36 Born 14 July 1871

6. Where were you born? Tellieplain's Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Callie Newman first wife dead

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Wm H. Newman</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Oct 4 - 1891</u>
(2)	<u>Isaac T</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>April 19 - 1894</u>
(3)	<u>John W</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Mar 10 - 1897</u>
(4)	<u>Enless K</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>May 10 - 1899</u>
(5)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(6)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: no record

Indian name: " " "

Mother—English name: Mary J Newman

Indian name: " " "

Maiden name: Newman

12. Where were they born?

Father: West Union

Mother: Coker Creek Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Coker Creek Tenn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: no record

Mother: about 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: mother was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Henry Newman</u>		
(2)	<u>Lallie</u>	<u>no record</u>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

	<u>Sims Newman</u>
	<u>" "</u>
	<u>Charlotte</u>
	<u>" Payne</u>

18. Where were they born? Coker Creek Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Coker Creek Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Leanne Newman</u>	
(2)	<u>Bessie</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Willie</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>John</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Scott</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Geo</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Charley</u>	<u>"</u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Brother's name Mary J

Newman & her mother Charlotte Newman  
maiden name Charlotte Payne her Father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Jack or John C Payne who married  
a daughter of Henry Walls & he married  
a daughter of Pamhattan

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Thomas Newman  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

B F Payne

and

H N Newman

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Thomas Newman

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and

30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J T Vaughan  
G W Isbill

B F Payne  
H N Newman  
mark

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My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

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No. 36942.

May 7, 1908.

Thos. Newman,

Tellico Plains, Tenn.

Sir:-

You claim a right to participate in the distribution of the Eastern Cherokee fund through your mother, Mary J.

Newman, who you state lived in Tennessee in 1851. Why was she not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees at that time?

State why your grandparents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851 and 1835. Were they recognized members of the tribe of Eastern Cherokees? Were they admitted to tribal councils?

Did any of your relatives share in any payment to the Eastern Cherokees in 1851? If so, give their names.

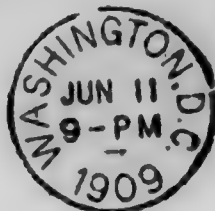
Were your mother and your grandparents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WTK/ALL

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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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Tellico Plains,

Tenn.



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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Thos. Newman*  
*Tellico Plains, Tenn*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36942, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~No~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 36943.

Name *Sally Almon*

and *1* children.

Action: *Reject*

Reasons:

Residence: *Tellus Plains, Tenn.*

*Betty Walker case*

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Leatherwood

No. 86943

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

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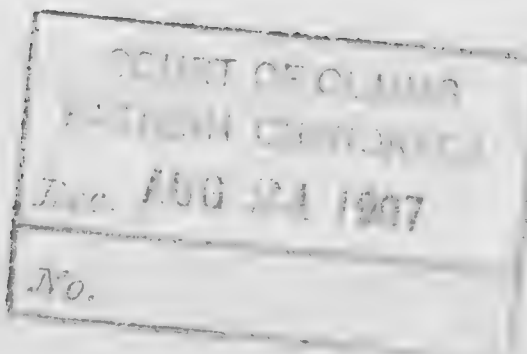
APPLICATION

OF

Sally Almon &  
1 child

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sally Almon

Indian name: Johnson

2. Residence and post office: Tellus Plains R. F. D. No. 1

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 24

Born March 10, 1888

6. Where were you born? Macon County N. C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. V. Almon

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Edgar Almon</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Nov. 21, 1900</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Chris Johnson

Indian name: Johnson

Mother—English name: Polly A. Johnson

Indian name: Leather Woods

Maiden name: Polly A. Leatherwood

12. Where were they born?

Father: Clay Co. N. C.

Mother: Clay Co. N. C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Clay County N. C.

Mother: Clay County N. C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Sept 29, 1890

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Johnson Samuel Leatherwood  
" Johnson " Leatherwood  
Sally Johnson Eveling Leatherwood  
Maiden Name Sally Wright

18. Where were they born? Burke Co Haywood Co. N. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Clay Co N. C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>Cris Johnson</u>	<u>Shadie? Leatherwood</u>
(2) <u>John Johnson</u>	<u>Kate Leatherwood</u>
(3) <u>William Johnson</u>	<u>Thos Leatherwood</u>
(4) <u>Ephraim Johnson</u>	<u>Emma Leatherwood</u>
(5) <u>Nancy Hall</u>	<u>Cyda Leatherwood</u>
(6) <u>Mary Polan</u>	<u>Susan Leatherwood</u>
<u>Hilda Corn</u>	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My name Sally

Almon. Maiden name Sally Johnson  
Father name C. J. Johnson his father  
John Johnson REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My mother name Polly Ann  
Leathwood Maiden name Johnson  
her father name Samuel Leathwood

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sally X Almon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. E. Vaughan

and Elijah Webb, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sally Almon

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and 3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark. 4

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. M. Williams  
L. M. Bonine

E. E. Vaughan  
Elijah Webb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

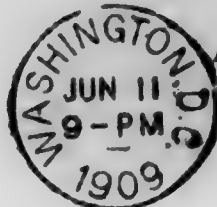
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Notary Public.

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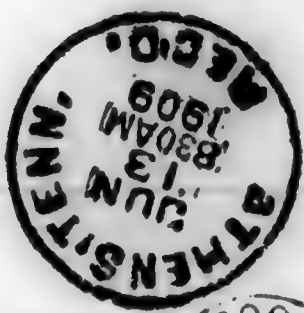
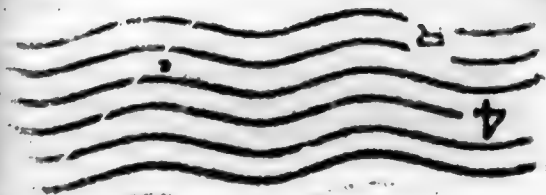
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Sally Almon*  
*Tullico Plains Tenn*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36943, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 36944

Name *Cally Casey*

Action: *Accepted*

Reasons:

and *1* children.

Residence: *Mt Vernon, Tenn.*

*Since 1896*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Gally Carey &  
3 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Calley Cassey

Indian name: T. Smith

2. Residence and post office: Mt. Vernon Tenn.

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 25

Born May 3, 1882

6. Where were you born? Monroe Co. Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John H. Cassey

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Larry J. Cassey</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Dec 6, 1898</u>
(2)	<u>Mary " "</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Nov 16, 1900</u>
(3)	<u>Jennick " "</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Nov 25, 1904</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Collins

Indian name: —

Mother—English name: Francis Collins

Indian name: " Smith

Maiden name: Francis Foster

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mo. Co.

Mother: Cherokee Co. Mo. Co.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: N. C.

Mother: G. A.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Oct. 21, 1906

Mother: June 16, 1882

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Henry Collins</u> <u>Pellido Plains Tenn.</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Berry Collins</u>	<u>John M. Foster</u>
<u>Pallyama Collins</u>	<u>Agnes Foster</u>
	<u>(D) C. H. Foster, Co. H. 1st</u>
	<u>(M) S. C.</u>

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? G. A.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

John M. Foster  
Francis "  
Irma Foster  
Rebecca Foster  
William H. Foster



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my name Calley Paisey

Maiden Name Calley Collins  
Francis Paisley her father John M. Foster  
Millie Foster  
REMARKS: Maiden Name Millie Smith

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Calley Paisey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Geo W. L. Hill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John M. Foster

and W. W. Williamson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Calley Paisey

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and

16 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. W. Williamson  
John M. Foster

John M. Foster  
W. W. Williamson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

G. W. Hill  
Notary Public.

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No. 36945-

Action: Rejected

Name Freelan H. Newman and X children.

Residence: Tellier Plains, Tenn.

Reasons:

Refused of #13003 and claims this same source.

36945-

*William*

No. B0945

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Frederick A. Newman*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	none		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Coker Creek Tenn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1893

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Indian was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Clarence Newman		
(2)	Mary J	"	
(3)	Malieie	"	
(4)	John	"	
(5)	Scott	"	
	<del>Mary J</del>	<del>"</del>	
(6)	Geo	"	
	Charley	"	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Leovas Newman by name Jack

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John C Payne  
" " "  
Susan  
" Walls

18. Where were they born? N C

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? N C Coker

Creek Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Charlotte Payne	
(2)	Susan Ann	
(3)	Mary	
(4)	Polly	
(5)	Malieie	
(6)	Julie	
	Geo	
	Frank	
	Bess	
	William	
	John	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Charlotta  
Newman Maiden name Charlotta Payne her  
Father Jack or John P Payne he married

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

a daughter of Henry Walls & he married  
a daughter of Pookattou his wife  
Jane Waters

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Freeland H Newman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Geo W Sobell

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

B J Payne

and

Thomas Newman

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Freeland H Newman

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 50 years and

25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Geo W Sobell

Eula Sobell

Signatures of Witnesses.

B J Payne

Thomas Newman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

Geo W Sobell

Notary Public.

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Name Elmer Johnson No. 36946. and x children.

Reasons:

Betsy Walker and

Action: Reject

Residence: Telllico Plains, Tenn.

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No. 36946

Name Cress Johnson

With No. 36943

Remarks:

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No. 35946

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Cres Johnson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims at May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Cris Johnson

Indian name: Johnson

2. Residence and post office: William Plains, R. D. 11

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 66

Born Oct 20, 1850

6. Where were you born? Clay Co. Mo.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Hester A. Johnson

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Sally Ann Johnson</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>March 10, 1883</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Johnson

Indian name: Johnson (Husky)

Mother—English name: Sally Johnson

Indian name: Wright

Maiden name: Sally Wright

12. Where were they born?

Father: Burke Co. Mo.

Mother: Burke Co. Mo.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Clay Co. Mo.

Mother: Clay Co. Mo.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: I don't know exactly been dead 14 or 15 years

Mother: " " " " " " " " " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Nancy Wolf</u>		
Maiden Name	<u>Johnson</u>		
(2)	<u>Mary Robin</u>		
Maiden Name	<u>Johnson</u>		
(3)	<u>Iron Johnson</u>		
(4)	<u>John Johnson</u>		
(5)	<u>Anna Corn</u>		
Maiden Name	<u>Johnson</u>		
(6)	<u>Ephraim Johnson</u>		
	<u>Johnson</u>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Johnson

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Bright

18. Where were they born? Mo.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dead in 1851

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Arion Johnson</u>	<u>Sally Bright</u>
(2)	<u>John Johnson</u>	<u>Jessy Bright</u>
(3)	<u>Joseph Johnson</u>	
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Name Chris

Johnson my father Johnson known  
by the Indians as Johnson Geesky.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Mother's maiden name Mrs.  
Sally Wright of the Cherokee  
tribe.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Chris Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of May, 1907.

Geo W Lill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

E E Vaughn

and

J P Almore

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Chris Johnson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

H. M. Bonine

J. M. Williamson

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. E. Vaughn

J. P. Almore

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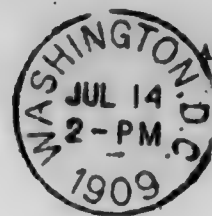
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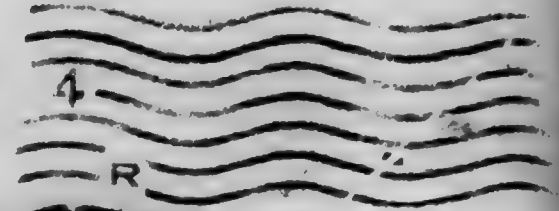
R. F. D. No. 1,

Tellico Plains,

Tenn.







SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Chris Johnson*  
*Tellico Plains, Tenn*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36946, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 36947

Action: *Exert*

Name: *Gen. W. Lucas* and *7* children.

Residence: *Clement, N. H.*  
*no. 1 - Dr. H.*

Reasons:

*License through the same course as 22050*

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No. 36947  
Name Geo W. Lucas  
With No. ~~7845~~ 77678

Remarks:



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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

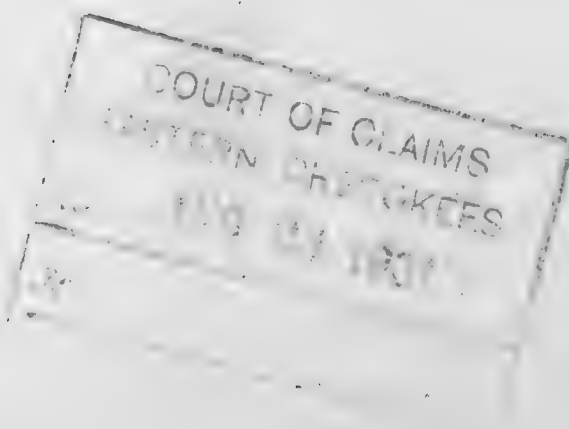
APPLICATION

OF

*Geo. H. Lucas*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Geo. W. Lucas

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence: Cement

3. Town and post office: Cement, R. F. D. No 1

4. County: Laud

5. State: Oklahoma

6. Date and place of birth: Lamar Co. Ky Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1818

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Lucy Brock was my great great  
grandma he was a full blood Cherokee William  
and Millie Duncell were my great-grandparents and  
Richard and Fanny Lucas were my great-grandparents  
and William and Sarah Lucas were my grand-parents

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Sallie Lucas. 27 years old.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: John B. Lucas

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mary Lucas

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mary Brock.

11. Where were they born?

Father: In Ky

Mother: " Ky

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ky

Mother: Ky

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mariah Lucas	1866	1888
	James "	1867	
	William "	1869	
(2)	Dan "	1871	1872
	Nancy Ellen "	1873	
(3)	Sam. F. "	1875	
	Alford M. "	1877	
(4)	Maggie "	1879	
	Sallie E. "	1882	
(5)	Robert W. "	1885	
	Alex. M. "	1886	
(6)	Andrew "	1890	1890

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Lucy Brock - William Duncil )	John Brock
Willie Duncil, Richard Lucas )	Polly Brock
Fanny Lucas, William Lucas )	
Sarah Lucas (nee Duncil)	

17. Where were they born? Willie Duncil, Ky. John and Polly Brock Tenn. The rest unknown -

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ky

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Unknown

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(2) English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(3) English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(4) English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

(5) English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. No.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Lucy Brock.

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Lucy Brock,*  
*William Duncil - Millie Duncil - Richard*  
*Lucas - Fanny Lucas - William Lucas -*  
*Sarah Lucas (nee Duncil) John Brock - Polly Brock*  
*John B. Lucas and Mary Lucas.*

## REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I have one child a girl she was born ~~at~~  
March 18<sup>th</sup> 1903 she is 4 years old will there  
be any thing coming to her. Her name is  
Ellan May Lucas.

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

George W. Leach

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July 19, 1910

*Helmutbach*  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_ and  
\_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and  
say that they are well acquainted with \_\_\_\_\_, who makes the  
foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years,  
respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents \_\_\_\_\_ to be, and  
that the statements made by \_\_\_\_\_ are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and  
they have no interest whatever in \_\_\_\_\_ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1906.

**My commission expires**

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*Notary Public.*

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36948

Action: *Reject*

Name *Hester Kephart* and *1* children. Residence: *Grandview, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Niece of #3682 and claims through the  
same source.*

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No. 36948-50

Name

With No. 3682

Remarks:

Hester Kephart  
Martin King  
Margaret "

*Nice*

No. 36948

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Hester, Kephart &  
child*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Hester Kephart

Indian name: " Nicholas

2. Residence and post office: Gardner

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: N. C.

5. How old are you? 24 Born 14 Feb 1883

6. Where were you born? G. A.

7. Are you married? Husband dead

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Richard Kephart 23 <sup>dead</sup> years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Cordelia Kephart</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>4 July 1902</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Julius King

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Margaret

Indian name: " Nicholas

Maiden name: Margaret Shook

12. Where were they born?

Father: G. A.

Mother: " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: GA

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 11

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: the Michal m... m...

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Arsenie J. King	24 Sept 1871	
(2)	Maria	23 April 1871	
(3)	James	8 Dec 1877	
(4)	Sam	11 Feb 1880	
(5)	Martins	14 Aug 1883	
(6)	Lafayette	20 May 1893	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

	<u>John Shook</u>
	<u>11</u>
	<u>John</u>
	<u>11</u>
	<u>Nicholson</u>
	<u>11</u>

18. Where were they born? GA

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? GA

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John Shook	
(2)	Rebecca	11
(3)	Mary	14
(4)	Elizabeth	11
(5)	Nancy	11
(6)	Sarah	11
	Martha	11
	Alexander	11
	John	11
	Annella	11

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Brother name Margaret

King, maiden name Margaret Shock, her father mother  
John Shock, maiden name Jane Nicholson  
John Shock

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Hester Kephart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug., 1907.

J. W. Loringood, J.P.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

P. J. Kephart,

and

Erastus Loringood,

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Hester Kephart

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

P. J. Kephart

Erastus Loringood

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My commission expires

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John shock Maile same Jane Nicholson  
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REMARKS.

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Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

P. J. Kephart

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No. 36949

Action: *Right*

Name *Martin King* and *X* children. Residence: *Grandview, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Nephew of # 3682 and claims through the same  
source.*

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W. H. Law  
No. 36949

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Martin King

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Martin Kiny

Indian name: " Nicholson

2. Residence and post office: Grandview

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 21 Born May 14 - 1886

6. Where were you born? G A

7. Are you married? NO

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>none</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Julius Kiny

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Margaret

Indian name: " Nicholson

Maiden name: " Shook

12. Where were they born?

Father: G A

Mother: " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: G. A.

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: The Kickapoo, near

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Arsene J. King	Sept 24 - 1871	
(2)	Wm. " "	April 23 - 1875	
(3)	James " "	Dec 8 - 1877	
(4)	Lane " "	Feb 11 - 1880	
(5)	Hester " "	Feb 14 - 1883	
(6)	Safayth " "	May 20 - 1873	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

	<u>John Hawk</u>
	<u>" "</u>
	<u>John " "</u>
	<u>" " Kickapoo</u>

18. Where were they born? X

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? G. A.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John Hawk	
(2)	Rebecca " "	
(3)	Mary " "	
(4)	Elizabeth " "	
(5)	Anna " "	
(6)	John " "	
	Martha " "	
	Alexander " "	
	John " "	
	Amanda " "	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Margaret King, mother  
her maiden name Margaret Shook her mother  
Jane Shook maiden name Jane Nicholas

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

He father John Nicholas Shook  
All churches

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Martin King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

J. W. Loring

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

P. J. Kephart

and Erastus Loring, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Martin King

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 21 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

P. J. Kephart

Erastus Loring

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 190

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J. W. Loring

Notary Public.

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No. 36950.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Margaret King* and *X* children. Residence: *Grandview, N.C.*

Reasons:

*Sister of # 3682 and claims through the same  
source.*

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Sister.

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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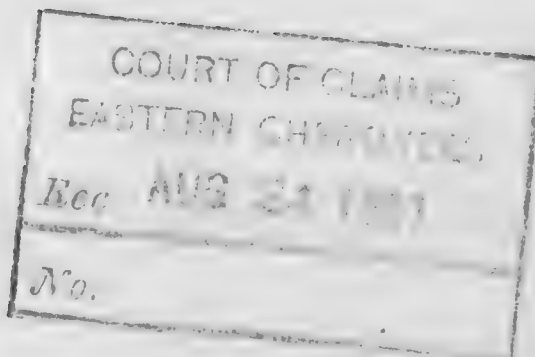
APPLICATION

OF

Margaret King

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Margaret King

Indian name: Nicholson

2. Residence and post office: Grandview

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: N. C.

5. How old are you? 58

Born May 31 - 1850

6. Where were you born? Thomas County GA

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. M. King 59

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Alfred age 4 gone</u>		
(2)	<u>Arsenia J King</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>1871</u>
(3)	<u>Lafayette King</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>1873</u>
(4)	<u>Vina King</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>1875</u>
(5)	<u>James King</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>1877</u>
(6)	<u>Loose King</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>1880</u>
	<u>Rester King</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>1883</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

7 Martin King 21 1886

Father—English name: John Chock

Indian name: Nicholson

Mother—English name: Jane Chock

Indian name: Nicholson

Maiden name: 11

12. Where were they born?

Father: Went Run

Mother: 11



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Townsend Eastern County G A

Mother: Townsend " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died 1892

Mother: " 1894

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: the Nicholsons were enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Rebecca Stark	no record	
(2)	Mary Stark		
(3)	Elizabeth	"	
(4)	Nancy	"	
	John	"	
(5)	Sarah	"	
	Abby	"	
(6)	Martha	"	
	Annula	"	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

	<u>Jonathan Nicholson</u>
	<u>" Isaac "</u>
	<u>" "</u>
	<u>" "</u>

18. Where were they born? G A

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? G. A.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Frances Nicholson</u>
(2)	<u>John " "</u>
(3)	<u>Jonathan Nicholson</u>
(4)	<u>John Nicholson</u>
(5)	<u>" "</u>
(6)	<u>" "</u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Mother's name ~~Rebecca~~ Shook  
Maiden name ~~Jessie~~ ~~Shook~~ & her Father  
~~John~~ ~~Nicholson~~  
Isaac

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Brother John ~~Nicholson~~ Shook  
& my Sister Rebecca Shook went  
to the Territory & got land & money

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Margaret King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

Geo W. Solill  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

William F. Walls

and

Elisha Eller

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Margaret King

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and

30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Geo W. Solill

Signatures of Witnesses.

William F. Walls

Elisha Eller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W. Solill  
Notary Public.

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#36950 - #3682

No.

Miscel.

Misc.

Julius M. King being first duly sworn in behalf of Margaret King, deposes and says:

That I am 61 years of age and live in Cherokee Co., N. C. I am the husband of Margaret King. Am a full blooded white man. My wife claims through her mother; my wife's father was a white man. My wife's mother was 86 when she died. She was raised in Tenn., not far from the line between Ga. and Tenn. Don't know where she was born. My wife never lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe. Don't know whether her mother ever lived with the Indians or not. Her mother could talk the Indian language. My wife's mother was 1/4 Indian - think it was the Cherokee. My wife's grandfather's father, Jacob Nicholson, was on the roll of 1835 - so my wife said. Don't know why my wife's other ancestors were not enrolled. I don't know where Jacob Nicholson was living in 1835 nor when he died. Guess he died before I was born. Don't know where he lived with the Indians but guess it was in Tenn. I don't know where he was when he was enrolled but guess it was in Ga. or Tenn. My wife's brother John went to the west and drew either money or land, but my wife never received anything. My wife's grandfather, James Isaac Nicholson, was the son of Jacob Nicholson. My wife is recognized as a white woman in the community. My wife doesn't claim that her mother or grandfather were enrolled. My wife's mother was married along about 1834 - 5. My wife and the father of Angeline Burrell who has filed application #26777, were brother and sister. All of my wife's sisters and brothers have married white people. Don't know of anybody else who know anything more than I do.

*Julius M. King*  
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Murphy, N. C. this 15th day of July 1908.

*Frank L. Ryan*

Ass't to Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims.

FDR

Appel herself sick, a voice present but she didn't know any more. Must show slight indication of Indian.  
Martha M. Baker also came in later and I questioned her and read the above. She said it was correct and she did not know anything more. Didn't know much about Jacob said she had never heard he was enrolled and didn't know where he lived or died.



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